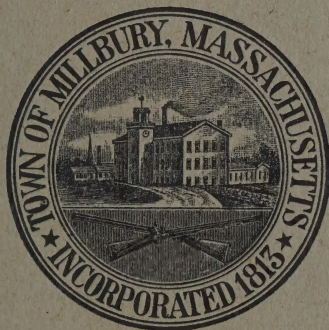


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Selectmen

CHARLES H. HARRIS DANIEL J. DEMPSEY
ARTHUR D. WINDLE

Town Clerk

CHARLES D. WHITNEY

Treasurer

JOHN J. MULHANE

Auditor

JAMES J. CASSIDY

Collector

STEPHEN F. BELLVILLE

Overseers of the Poor

ADOLPHUS L. MARTIN, 1928
ALBERT F. DESPARD, 1929
FRED W. MOORE, 1930

Assessors

ROBERT F. BROWN, 1928
VINCENT P. McKEONE, 1929
JOHN D. DUCHARME, 1930

School Committee

HENRY A. LECLAIRE	Term Expires 1928
THOMAS H. SULLIVAN	Term Expires 1929
WALTER B. HORNE	Term Expires 1930

Trustees of Town Library

EDWARD F. RICE	Term Expires 1928
ARTHUR W. SNOW	Term Expires 1929
ALBERT G. HURD	Term Expires 1930

Commissioners of Cemeteries

HERBERT McCRACKEN	Term Expires 1928
JOHN R. GREENWOOD	Term Expires 1929
NAPOLEON CREPEAU	Term Expires 1930

Board of Health

PETER FERGUSON	Term Expires 1928
ARTHUR A. BROWN	Term Expires 1929
LOUIS H. BALLARD	Term Expires 1930

Constables

JAMES A. ARMY	THOMAS A. DOLAN
GEORGE C. BLANCHARD	ELLIOTT HAIRYES
FRED H. VULTER	CHARLES H. LACOSSE

Registrars of Voters

PHILIP E. BALLARD	Term Expires 1928
FRANK A. DAVIS	Term Expires 1929
ALFRED GAUTHIER	Term Expires 1930
CHARLES D. WHITNEY, ex-officio clerk	

Fire Engineers

WILLIAM D. HORNE	HERVEY C. PIERCE
JOSEPH ARMY	

Highway Surveyor

MARTIN J. ROACH

Inspector of Animals

F. A. WATKINS

Tree Warden

EDWARD F. ROACH

Forest Fire Warden

WILLIAM D. HORNE

Report of Selectmen

To the Voters of the Town of Millbury:—

Your selectmen present herewith the reports of the various town officials for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1927, and a report of the action taken by the board upon the matters especially assigned to them at the last annual town meeting.

Grove Street and West Street Improvements

A new granolithic sidewalk has been completed on Grove Street from Main to Waters Street.

This work was done by contractor Thomas Hill, from plans and specifications made by civil engineer John E. Gallacher of Worcester, and called for the standard cinder foundation and sod curbing, which gives stability to the work, and an attractive finish to the walk.

A new curbing of granolithic was laid on the northerly side of West Street, as called for in a special article, the sidewalk graded, which not only improves the appearance of this street, but adds to the safety of pedestrians on this much-traveled thoroughfare.

Riverlin Street Iron Bridge

A new iron bridge has been constructed over the Blackstone River at Riverlin Street.

The contract was completed by William Hill, and this part of the street long closed to traffic has been opened, and we believe the convenience of residents of this section of our town, and travelers in general, has been improved.

The wooden bridge over the stream from the Buck Bros. factory has been replaced by a new structure of concrete.

This work was done by contractor Thomas Hill, from plans and specifications drawn by engineer Gallacher, and gives good satisfaction.

Road Construction on Millbury Avenue

A new section of road was laid on Millbury Avenue by Highway Surveyor M. J. Roach, of gravel and oil, which has improved this part of the town greatly.

The travel has increased so greatly on this avenue that we recommend liberality in future appropriations, that a good road may be maintained.

Enforcement of Liquor Laws

At the annual meeting an appropriation was made, and instructions given the selectmen, for the suppression of illegal liquor sales.

It is a matter of general knowledge that intoxicating liquors have been illegally sold in town many years, and this evil is a difficult one to entirely stamp out, if indeed it ever can be.

Your selectmen placed this matter in the charge of deputy sheriff Harry Flynn of Millville, and to date there have been 14 raids and 13 convictions.

The total receipt of fines received by the town from district court amounted to \$1,200.

Special Town Meeting

The damage done our highways, especially to Burbank and Tainter Hills, made necessary the calling of a special town meeting, at which \$3500 was appropriated for the repairs of highways and bridges, and \$500 for snow removal.

This money has been expended, and the roads made passable.

Weekly Meetings of Board

The By-Laws of our town require meetings of the selectmen on the first and third Wednesdays, and only on such

meetings may orders be drawn for payment of accounts against the town.

The town has grown greatly since the adoption of these By-Laws, and matters requiring the attention of the selectmen so multiplied that your board has held weekly meetings throughout the year, and have been enabled to perform the duties of their office more efficiently and with greater convenience to the public.

Our relations with each other and the members of the other town's departments have been cordial and harmonious.

We appreciate the courtesy of the other elected town officers and the appointive ones and thank them for their co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. HARRIS,
DANIEL J. DEMPSEY,
ARTHUR D. WINDLE,

Selectmen.

Auditor's Report

Millbury, Mass., Jan. 20, 1928.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:—

Herewith is my report of the receipts and disbursements of the Town for the year ending December 31, 1927.

Following are the unpaid bills on hand—

Poor Department	\$142 42
Industrial Schools	976 84
Permanent Roads	50 40
Highways	55 34
	<hr/> \$1,225 00

The Excess and Deficiency Fund shows a credit balance of \$27,593.31.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all town officials for the hearty co-operation received from them during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. CASSIDY,
Auditor.

RECEIPTS

Taxes

Current Year—Polls	\$3,498 00
Current Year—Property	166,345 23
Previous Year—Polls	4 00
Previous Year—Property	23,427 92
	<hr/> \$193,275 15

From the State

Corporation Tax—Public Service	\$1,987 76	
Corporation Tax—Business	19,533 45	
Income Tax—1926 and previous	1,751 00	
Income Tax—1927	20,844 92	
National Bank Tax	454 17	
Trust Company Tax	9 34	
Street Railway Tax	4 13	
	<hr/>	44,584 77

Licenses and Permits

Pedlars' Licenses	\$10 00	
Bus Licenses	87 00	
Gasoline Licenses	5 00	
Garage Licenses	1 00	
Firearm Permits	14 50	
	<hr/>	117 50

Fines and Forfeits

Court Fines	\$954 39	954 39
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Grants and Gifts

From State, Industrial Schools	\$1,481 94	
From County, Dog Licenses, 1926	1,324 06	
From County, account Canal Street	600 00	
From State, account Canal Street	1,190 64	
	<hr/>	4,596 64

COMMERCIAL REVENUE—DEPARTMENTAL

General Government

Treasurer, Uncalled for Payrolls	\$38 40	
Collector of Taxes, Telephone Calls	9 25	
Town Hall, Rents	1,642 49	
Town Clerk, Sale of Histories	3 50	
	<hr/>	1,693 64

Protection of Persons and Property

From Police Department, Damage Settlements, account Beacon Lights	\$242 40	
From Sealer of Weights and Measures	121 57	
	<hr/>	363 97

Highway Department

Reimbursements from Granolithic Sidewalks	\$660 04	660 04
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Charities

From the State	\$1,753 00	
From Cities and Towns	461 65	
	<hr/>	2,214 65

Soldiers' Benefits

From the State, State Aid	\$672 00	
From the State, Military Aid	52 50	
From the State, Soldiers' Exemp.	87 46	
	<hr/>	811 96

Schools

Tuition Paid	\$60 00	60 00
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Town Library

Fines	\$47 91	47 91
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Parks

Settlement from Insurance Co., account damage to fountain	\$100 00	100 00
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Unclassified

From State, Bounty for killing wild cats	\$10 00	10 00
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Cemeteries

Sale of Lots	\$180 00	
Annual care of Lots	452 00	
Perp. Care Funds, income	1,775 44	
Interments	458 00	
Foundations	342 00	
Repairs to Lots	18 00	
	<hr/>	3,225 44

Interest

Interest on Deposits	\$325 72	
Interest from Overdue Taxes	1,616 41	
	<hr/>	1,942 13

Municipal Indebtedness

Temporary Loans, in Anticipation of Revenue	\$160,000 00	160,000 00
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Agency, Trust and Investment

New Perpetual Care Funds	\$1,525 00	
Orville E. Thompson Library Fund	1,000 00	
Income from Library Trust Funds	229 50	
	<hr/>	2,754 50

Receipts

Total Receipts for Year	\$417,412 69	
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1927	14,597 94	
	<hr/>	\$432,010 63

EXPENDITURES**GENERAL GOVERNMENT***Selectmen's Department*

Salaries	\$600 00	
Stationery and Postage	62 74	
Printing and Advertising	13 00	
Carfare, auto hire, etc.	10 00	
Telephone	31 95	
All other Expenses	10 50	
	<hr/>	\$728 19

Finance Committee

Salary of Clerk	\$5 00	5 00
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Accounting Department

Salary of Auditor	\$750 00	
Stationery and Postage	7 48	
	<hr/>	757 48

Treasurer's Department

Salary of Treasurer	\$900 00	
Treasurer's Bond	83 50	
Stationery and Postage	35 06	
Recording Notes	12 00	
Check forgery insurance	63 75	
All other expenses	50	
	<hr/>	1,094 81

Tax Collector's Department

Salary (1% of collections)	\$1,888 56	
Stationery and Postage	128 44	
Legal Advice	16 00	
Collector's Bond	167 00	
	<hr/>	2,200 00

Assessors' Department

Salaries	\$1,800 00	
Stationery and Postage	64 02	
Printing and Advertising	689 17	
Filing Cabinet	34 50	
	<hr/>	2,587 69

Law Department

Town Counsel, retainer	\$200 00	
Town Counsel's Fee	66 02	
Legal Advice from Engineer	35 00	
	<hr/>	301 02

Town Clerk's Department

Salary	\$300 00	
Bond Premium	20 00	
Stationery and Postage	13 34	
Vital Statistics	350 34	
	<hr/>	683 68

Election and Registration

Services of Registrar	\$402 00	
Assessors with Registrars	45 00	
Election Officers	209 00	
Printing Warrants, Ballots, etc.	330 00	
Lunches for Officers	18 00	
Auto Hire (Registrars to E. Millbury)	4 00	
Moving Booths	5 00	
	<hr/>	1,013 00

Town Hall

Salary of Janitor	\$1,354 16	
Fuel	420 03	
Light	361 87	
Repairs to Building	548 39	
Water, etc.	116 01	
Janitor's Supplies	47 47	
	<hr/>	2,847 93

Purchase of Chairs for Town Hall	\$245 15	245 15
Installing Heating System, Town Hall	\$315 00	315 00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department

Salary of Chief	\$2,200 00	
Salary of Patrolman	1,760 00	
Special Police	142 00	
Court Fees—Paid to Officers	315 52	
Auto Hire	203 50	
Maintenance of Traffic Beacons	177 59	
"No Parking" Signs	29 08	
	<hr/>	4,827 69

Fire Department

Salaries, Engineers	\$462 00	
Salaries, Firemen	2,520 00	
Maintenance of Apparatus	497 94	
New Hose	280 00	
Equipment for Men	10 15	
Alarm Boxes, etc.	718 90	
Repairs to Alarm Boxes	85 00	
Fuel	285 77	
Light	44 36	
Care of Fire Alarm	150 00	
Repairs to Buildings	65 08	
Furniture	10 15	
Telephone	48 60	
All other expenses	59 28	
	<hr/>	5,237 23

Hydrant Service

85 Hydrants at \$55	\$4,674 96	4,674 96
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East Millbury Fire Station

Paid as per Contract	\$1,148 65	1,148 65
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Sealer of Weights and Measures

Salary	\$250 00	
Stationery and Postage	23 79	
Auto Hire	140 00	
	<hr/>	413 79

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths

Salary of Superintendent	\$164 00	
Labor	516 00	
Stationery	6 00	
Insecticides	58 76	
	<hr/>	744 76

Elm Beetle

Salary of Superintendent	\$48 00	
Labor	96 00	
All other expenses	3 05	
	<hr/>	147 05

Tree Warden

Salary of Superintendent	\$172 00	
Labor	210 00	
Tools	113 20	
	<hr/>	495 20

Forest Fire Department

Warden	\$67 13	
Labor Fighting Fires	197 10	
Equipment	25 35	
Acids, etc.	53 91	
	<hr/>	343 49

Damage to Personal Property

Peter Ferguson (Expenses on Lyons' Case)	\$11 44	
Emile Turgeon (Damaged Tire)	13 00	
Laura Aubin (Damaged Tire)	13 05	
Samuel H. Pitcher (Expense on Lyons' Case)	200 00	
	<hr/>	237 49

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health—General Administration

Salaries, Board of Health	\$350 00	
Auto Hire	13 50	
Stationery and Postage	24 75	
All other administration expenses	13 66	
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Quarantine and Contagious Diseases

Hospital Care	\$794 98	
All other expenses	6 50	

Tuberculosis

Board and Treatment at Hospitals	\$537 00	
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All Other Expenses

Fumigation and Disinfectants	\$60 55	
Vaccination	2 00	
Salary of Animal Inspector	100 00	
Salary of Milk Inspector	40 00	
Inspecting Meats	32 25	
	<hr/>	1,975 19
Purchase of Public Dump	\$200 00	200 00

Millbury Society for District Nursing

Amount Paid	\$350 00	350 00
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Share of Maintaining Worcester County Hospital for Tuberculosis

Amount Paid	\$685 09	685 09
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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Highway Department

Supervision	\$695 00	
Labor	5,400 30	
Team	3,634 00	
Broken Stone, Gravel, etc.	1,917 95	
Equipment and Repairs	868 86	
Repairing Fences	74 49	
Bridges	261 51	
Culverts	171 97	
Equipment for cleaning out sewer pipes, etc.	110 00	
All other expenses	59 83	
	<hr/>	13,193 91

Oiling Streets

Supervision	\$90 00	
Labor	902 50	
Oil	3,004 01	
	<hr/>	3,996 51

Repairing Macadam Roads

Supervision	\$90 00	
Labor	1,355 00	
Teams	968 00	
Stone and sand	114 00	
Tar	413 45	
Gas for trucks	43 05	
	<hr/>	2,983 50

Snow and Ice Removal

Labor	\$1,407 75	
Supervision	172 00	
Teams	925 00	
Trucks	399 00	
Snow Plough	342 08	
All other expenses	2 28	
	<hr/>	3,248 11

Riverlin Street Bridge

Paid as per contract	\$1,599 50	1,599 50
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Gravel and Oil—Millbury Ave.

Paid and per contract	1,500 00	1,500 00
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Bridge at Bucks Village

Paid as per contract	660 00	660 00
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Repairing McGowan Bridge

Paid as per contract	1,939 61	1,939 61
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Repairing Road at M. M. Paine

Supervision	\$30 00	
Labor	291 50	
Gravel	28 50	
	<hr/>	350 00

Repairing Millbury Avenue

Labor	\$197 00	
Oil	705 42	
Teams	88 00	
Sand	150 00	
Tar	104 50	
All other expenses	52 34	
	<hr/>	1,297 26

Canal Street—Cement Road

Bill of Worcester Consolidated Street

Railway for labor, not paid in previous year	\$256 96	256 96
Repairing Driveway at Powers'	48 00	48 00
Purchase of Motor Truck	4,906 70	4,906 70

West Street Sidewalk and Curbing

Paid as per contract	682 80	682 80
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Granolithic Sidewalks

Amount Expended	2,620 34	2,620 34
(Abutters to pay share of this cost)		

Repairing Wausau Street

Blasting Stone	\$17 00	
New Culvert	55 00	
	<hr/>	72 00

Purchase of Snow Plough

\$300 00	300 00
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Street Lights

Cost for year	\$6,870 60	6,870 60
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Watering Troughs

Amount paid as per contract	\$200 00	200 00
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Repairing Sidewlak at D. Ducharme

Cost	\$300 00	300 00
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CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Poor Department

Salaries, Overseers	\$600 00	
Printing, stationery and postage	64 29	
All other general expenses	32 50	
Groceries and Provisions	4,652 80	
Coal and Wood	572 90	
Board and Care	782 37	
Medicine and Medical attendance	704 53	
State Institutions	893 63	
Rent	2,083 60	
Cash allowances	3,623 08	
Relief by other cities	1,124 30	
Relief by other towns	1,485 74	
Paid to Charlton Poor Farm Assoc.	682 51	
Burials	82 00	
Movings	12 00	
Clothing	108 40	
Town Physician	250 00	
	<hr/>	17,754 65

State Aid

Amount paid by town	\$576 00	576 00
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Military Aid

Amount paid by town	\$270 00	270 00
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Soldiers' Aid

Groceries and Provisions	\$375 68	
Fuel	36 00	
Medicine and Medical Attendance	243 50	
Cash	1,053 00	
	<hr/>	1,708 18

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

School Department

Salary—School Committee	\$150 00
Salary—Superintendent	2,500 00
Superintendent's Clerk	335 60
Salary—Truant Officer	450 00
Printing, Stationery and Postage	111 88
Telephone	101 82
Traveling Expenses	239 49
School Nurse	860 00
School Physician	200 00
All other general expenses	104 04
Teachers' Salaries—High School	13,455 00
Teachers' Salaries—Elementary	37,519 50
Text and Reference Books—High School	1,334 62
Other Supplies—High School	799 59
Text and Reference Books—Elementary	1,518 81
Other Supplies—Elementary	1,335 03
Tuition—Elementary	127 74
Transportation—High School	2,175 19
Transportation—Elementary	3,400 81
Janitor's Service—High School	1,747 00
Janitor's Service—Elementary	2,171 00
Janitor's Service—Evening School	8 00
Fuel and Light—High School	2,215 62
Fuel and Light—Elementary	4,736 47
Repairs to building—High School	684 46
Janitor's Supplies—High School	137 01
Repairs to building—Elementary	1,922 45
Janitor's Supplies—Elementary	118 50
All other maintenance expenses—Elementary	25 10
Water—Elementary	641 59

Water—High School	200 72	
Furniture and furnishings—High School	387 60	
Furniture and furnishings—Elementary	123 18	
Diplomas and Graduation Expenses	80 90	
Office Expenses	48 51	
Health	50 51	
	<hr/>	82,017 74
Repairing wall at High School	\$1,450 00	1,450 00
Industrial Schools	\$3,366 72	3,366 72

Town Library

Salary of Librarian	\$1,000 00	
Salary of Assistant	255 00	
Salary of Janitor	188 00	
New Books	454 10	
Periodicals	121 75	
Binding Books	104 70	
Fuel	354 75	
Light	50 12	
Repairs to buildings	128 41	
Furniture	7 75	
All other expenses—building	20 00	
Stationery and printing	33 80	
All other expenses	11 12	
	<hr/>	2,729 50

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Parks

Labor	\$94 75	
Equipment	2 00	
Seed	17 00	
Water	16 76	
	<hr/>	130 51

Amount of taxes refunded for year	\$7 40	7 40
State tax for year*	12,360 00	12,360 00
State highway tax for year	1,676 62	1,676 62
Worcester County tax for year	9,801 00	9,801 00
Auditing municipal accounts	84 57	84 57
Observance of Memorial Day		
(Amount paid by town)	300 00	300 00
Printing Town Reports	450 00	450 00
<i>Care of Town Clocks</i>		
Salary of Caretaker	\$150 00	
Light	24 00	
Repairs to clock	26 00	
	<hr/>	200 00
<i>Fire Insurance</i>		
Premiums for the year	\$1,728 63	1,728 63
<i>Compensation Insurance</i>		
Premiums for the year	366 78	366 78
<i>Liability Insurance</i>		
Premiums for the year	98 20	98 20
Amount paid by Town for Suppres- sion of Liquor Traffic	800 00	800 00
Bounty paid for killing wild cat	10 00	10 00

Tax Titles

Bought by town	\$53 26	53 26
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Free Mail Delivery

Amount Expended	\$2,499 58	2,499 58
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CEMETERIES

Cemetery Department

Salary of Clerk	\$50 00	
Salary of Superintendent	715 55	
Labor	1,958 71	
Shrubs, etc.	48 15	
Tools	73 20	
Auto hire	9 25	
Fertilizer	158 40	
Payment of Note	578 36	
All other expenses	72 92	
	<hr/>	3,664 54

Neglected Soldiers' Graves

Labor	\$78 00	\$78 00
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Interest

Temporary Loans	\$4,017 50	
Maturing Debt	5,625 00	
	<hr/>	9,642 50

Temporary Loans

Temporary Notes paid	\$140,000 00	140,000 00
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Town Debt

East Millbury School Note	\$2,000 00
New High School Note	2,500 00
Millbury Ave. School Note	2,000 00
New Fire Truck Note	3,000 00

Howe Ave. Cement Road Note	5,000 00	
West and River St. Cement Road Note	5,000 00	
North Main Cement Road Note	3,000 00	
Canal Street Cement Road Note	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	25,500 00

Perpetual Care Funds

Paid to Savings Bank	\$1,525 00	1,525 00
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Library Trust Fund

Paid to Savings Bank	\$1,000 00	1,000 00
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Total Expenditures for Year	\$403,134 72
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Cash on Hand January 1, 1928	28,875 91
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\$432,010 63

APPROPRIATION BALANCES—1927

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Departments	Appropriation	Expended	Balance
Finance Committee	\$ 5 00	5 00
Legislative	25 00	.....	\$25 00
Selectmen's salary and expenses.....	800 00	728 19	71 81
Auditor's salary and expenses.....	800 00	757 48	42 52
Treasurer's salary and expenses.....	1,095 00	1,094 81	19
Tax Collector's salary and expenses.....	2,200 00	2,200 00	.....
Assessors' salaries and expenses.....	2,670 00	2,587 69	82 31
Law Department	400 00	301 02	98 98
Town Clerk's salary and expenses.....	350 00	333 34	16 66
Vital Statistics	450 00	350 34	99 66
Election and Registration.....	960 00	676 00	284 00
Election and Registration—Unpaid bills, 1926.	337 00	337 00	.....
Town Hall	4,000 00	2,847 93	1,152 07
Chairs for Town Hall.....	250 00	245 15	4 85
Heating System—Fire Dept. and Selectmen's Rooms	350 00	315 00	35 00
Police Department	5,200 00	4,827 69	372 31
Fire Department	5,200 00	5,080 48	119 52
Fire Department—Unpaid bills, 1926.....	6 75	6 75	.....

APPROPRIATION BALANCES—1927—Continued

Departments	Appropriation	Expended	Balance
Care of Fire Alarm.....	150 00	150 00	.....
Fire House at East Millbury.....	1,150 00	1,148 65	1 35
Hydrant Service	4,710 00	4,674 96	35 04
Sealer of Weights and Measures, salary and expenses	450 00	413 79	36 21
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth.....	750 00	744 76	5 24
Elm Beetle	150 00	147 05	2 95
Tree Warden	500 00	495 20	4 80
Forest Fires	800 00	343 49	456 51
Board of Health's salary and expenses.....	2,100 00	1,835 19	264 81
Animal Inspector	100 00	100 00	.....
Milk Inspector	40 00	40 00	.....
District Nursing Society.....	350 00	350 00	.....
Worc. County Tuberculosis Hospital.....	685 09	685 09	.....
Public Dump	200 00	200 00	.....
Highway Department	9,000		
Additional	3,500 00	12,497 47	2 53
Highway Department—Unpaid bills, 1926....	696 44	696 44	.....
Highway Department—Snow	2,000 00		

APPROPRIATION BALANCES—1927—Continued

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Departments	Appropriation	Expended	Balance
Additional	1,230 83	3,120 11	110 72
Highway Department—Snow, unpaid bills, 1926	128 00	128 00	.....
Repair Millbury Avenue.....	2,000 00	1,297 26	702 74
Gravel and Oil Surface—Millbury Avenue....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Bridge—Grafton and Riverlin Streets.....	1,600 00	1,599 50	50
Repair Bridge, Buck Village.....	700 00	660 00	40 00
Repair McGowan Bridge.....	2,000 00	1,939 61	60 39
Repair Road—M. M. Paine.....	350 00	350 00	.....
Repair Driveway at Powers'.....	48 00	48 00	.....
Dump Truck	5,000 00	4,906 70	93 30
Snow Plough	300 00	300 00	.....
Granolithic Sidewalks	3,200 00	2,338 10	861 90
West Street, sidewalk and curbing.....	700 00	682 80	17 20
Oiling Streets	4,000 00	3,996 51	3 49
Street Lights	6,916 00	6,870 60	45 40
Watering Troughs	250 00	200 00	50 00
Repairing Permanent Roads	3,000 00	2,983 50	16 50
Poor Department	14,000 00		
Additional	3,500 00	17,492 96	7 04

APPROPRIATION BALANCES—1927—Continued

Departments	Appropriation	Expended	Balance
Poor Department—Unpaid bills, 1926.....	261 69	261 69	.....
Soldiers' Aid	1,600 00		
Additional	70 00	1,667 81	2 19
Soldiers' Aid—Unpaid bills, 1926.....	40 37	40 37	.....
School Department	82,100 00	82,017 74	82 26
Repairing Wall at High School.....	1,500 00	1,450 00	50 00
Industrial Schools	3,000 00	2,993 29	6 71
Industrial Schools—Unpaid bills, 1926.....	373 43	373 43	.....
Town Library	2,500 00		
Additional from Trust Funds.....	229 50	2,729 50	.....
Tax Refunds	200 00	7 40	192 60
Tax Titles—Bought by Town.....	250 00	53 26	196 74
Reserve Fund	4,000 00	2,157 32	1,842 68
Care of Parks	125 00	113 51	11 49
Care of Parks—Unpaid bills, 1926.....	17 00	17 00	.....
Memorial Day	300 00	300 00	.....
Printing Town Reports	600 00	450 00	150 00
Care and lighting of clocks.....	175 00		
Additional	26 00	200 00	1 00

APPROPRIATION BALANCES—1927—Continued

Departments	Appropriation	Expended	Balance
Insurance.....	2,000 00	1,826 83	173 17
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	500 00	366 78	133 22
Free Mail Delivery Service.....	2,500 00	2,499 58	42
Suppression of Liquor Traffic.....	500 00		
Additional	300 00	800 00	.....
Cemeteries	1,500 00		
Additional	400 00		
Perpetual Care—Interest	1,775 44	3,664 54	10 90
Neglected Soldiers' Graves	100 00	78 00	22 00
Interest	10,775 00	9,642 50	1,132 50
Maturing Debt	25,500 00	25,500 00	.....
Canal Street State Road—			
Received from County	600 00		
Received from State	8,690 64		
Overdraft, 1926 .....	.....	9,238 25	52 39
Repairing Wausau Street	500 00	72 00	428 00
	<u>\$255,862 18</u>	<u>\$246,150 41</u>	<u>\$9,711 77</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Debits

Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1928		\$28,875 91
Due from taxes, levy of 1924		113 60
Due from taxes, levy of 1925		131 03
Due from taxes, levy of 1926		9,708 30
Due from taxes, levy of 1927		37,010 91
Due from H. W. Thompson, ex-collector		37 01
Overlay, 1920	\$1,178 25	
Overlay, 1921	1,467 30	
Overlay, 1922	772 81	
Overlay, 1923	291 88	
	<hr/>	\$3,710 24
Civilian War Poll Taxes to be refunded by State		\$189 00
Tax Titles held by Town		\$533 48
Poor Dept.—Bills Receivable	\$2,733 38	
Town Hall—Bills Receivable	121 00	
Cemetery Dept.—Bills Receivable	1,390 62	
Granolithic Sidewalks—Bills Re- ceivable	598 80	
	<hr/>	4,843 80
Maple St. Sidewalk Overdraft		975 79
Main St. Sidewalk Overdraft		\$1,000 68
State Aid, due from State		630 00
Military Aid, due from State		375 00
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		\$88,134 75

Credits

Overlay, 1924	\$1,553 21	
Overlay, 1925	1,546 99	
Overlay, 1926	580 10	
Overlay, 1927	1,347 86	
	<hr/>	5,028 16

Temporary Loans	50,000 00
Tax Title Revenue	265 23
Departmental Revenue	4,848 05
Sale of Land	400 00
Excess and Deficiency, or Surplus Revenue	27,593 31
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	\$88,134 75

NET FUNDED OR FIXED DEBT

New East Millbury School Loan	\$8,000 00
New High School Loan	15,000 00
Millbury Avenue School Loan	33,000 00
Fire Truck Loan	5,000 00
Howe Avenue Loan	9,000 00
West and River Streets Loan	9,000 00
Main Street Loan	5,000 00
Canal Street Loan	2,000 00
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	\$86,000 00

Report of Tax Collector

1926

Balance to collect, December 31, 1926	\$27,773 98
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Credits

Cash collected	\$17,437 65	
Cash collected December 31, 1927—		
Deposited January 4, 1928	420 29	
City of Worcester Tax, paid to Treasurer	520 13	
		\$18,378 07
Abatements in 1927	\$100 60	
Abatements in January, 1928	78 48	
		179 08
Taxes collected in January, 1928	\$246 40	
Tax Titles held by Town	162 45	
Balance to collect	\$8,807 98	
		9,216 83
		\$27,773 98

1927

Assessors' Warrant of Town, County and State Tax	\$208,018 21
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Credits

Cash collected	\$170,574 90	
Cash collected December 31, 1927—		
Deposited January 4, 1928	7,009 45	
		\$177,584 35

Abatements in 1927	\$432 35	
Abatements in January, 1928	50 65	
	<hr/>	483 00
Taxes collected in January, 1928	\$2,317 10	
Balance to collect	27,633 76	
	<hr/>	29,950 86
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		\$208,018 21

1926 DELINQUENTS

Real

Aldrich, Theresa	\$7 30
Aldrich, Thurston L.	76 65
Ajam, Mustafa J.	21 90
Anderson, Violet A.	3 65
Anderson, Harold F.	18 25
Army, Fred W.	3 65
Aubuchont, Louis	55 67
Arbour, John U.	12 78
Baroni, Toney	40 85
Beasley, Louis N.	21 90
Belanger, William	3 65
Benoit, Jelas	88 51
Bengstrom, John B. and Eugenia	156 95
Bengstrom, Frank A.	10 95
Bergstrom, Henry	20 08
Bertrand, Fred	3 65
Bejune, Melton G.	27 38
Bilodeau, Alfred	5 48
Bois, Laurence	3 65
Borea, John	287 44
Braney, Robert	135 05
Braney, Mary A.	21 90
Braney, Daniel	40 15
Brasas, Joseph	7 30
Brewer, Charles	10 95

Burbank, Charles	96 73
Carlson, Raymond	3 65
Carrignan, Edward	5 48
Caron, Leo	21 90
Christian, Napoleon	38 33
Christianson, Agnar	10 95
Cloutier, Edward A. and Edna M.	29 20
Collette, David	45 63
Commo, Edward J.	3 65
Conway, John	71 18
Crockett, Lloyd H.	14 60
Croteau, John	3 65
Courtney, John E.	25 55
Cunningham, Charles W. and Hazel	82 13
Davidson, William G.	149 65
Dinsmore, Effie	27 38
Doe, Adelbert	9 13
Douville, Harry J.	5 48
Doyle, John F.	3 65
Dufresne, Edmund	7 30
Deering, Georgia	229 95
Fladd, Mary E.	7 30
Foshay, Charles	3 65
Foster, Joseph A.	62 05
Frazier, Laurence	18 25
Germain, Edward	16 43
Giles, Arthur G.	3 65
Gordon, Curtis	5 48
Gosselin, Edward P.	14 60
Gover, William	75 20
Gover, Fred L.	131 40
Gover, Mrs. Anna	7 30
Gover, Exlor	29 20
Goulet, Phillip	9 13
Gravel, Joseph	80 30
Greber, Emil G.	191 63
Grenier, Ernest	12 78

Grenier, Josephine	93 00
Hafstrom, John E.	38 33
Hall, Eugene B.	7 30
Harper, Charles	9 13
Heck, Julius and Elizabeth	140 53
Hinchley, Ralph	7 30
Howard, Dwight W.	3 65
Howe, William R.	123 19
Howe, George B.	7 30
Jacques, Wilfred	10 95
James, Arthur	14 60
Jacobson, Alfred J. and Ruth	226 30
Jacobson, Eric	3 65
Jordan, Grace	16 43
Jordan, Charles E.	3 65
Labreck, John	52 93
Lebrun, Robert	10 95
Larson, Gustave W.	3 65
Larson, Louis A.	18 25
Lauren, Henry	89 43
Lavallee, Oliver A.	3 65
Leclaire, Henry A.	25 55
Lee, Earl	9 13
Letendre, Harold	29 20
Lyons, William L.	16 43
Lyons, Bridget	109 50
Mahoney, Walter J.	3 65
Mains, Walter I.	5 48
Mayville, Fred	3 65
McCaskill, Donald, et al	91 26
McElroy, William H.	83 95
McNally, Mary, Heirs	18 25
Meacham, Harry and Elizabeth M.	62 06
Millbury Worsted Mills	73 00
Mike, John	21 90
Monfils, Alfred	29 20
Monroe, George W. and Eva R.	18 25

Norrie Mills	1,996 55
O'Connor, Walter J.	3 65
Owen, Elmer G.	73 00
Paine, Mrs. Ida B.	113 15
Paine, Marcus M.	68 44
Parker, Frank J.	3 65
Paquette, John B.	9 13
Pickett, Thomas	34 68
Phaneuf, Remy	7 30
Read, Louis	3 65
Rich, John S., Heirs	182 50
Russell, William E.	10 95
Safford, Elizabeth	47 45
Smith, Roy	7 30
Smith, Carl	18 25
Smith, Russell	7 30
Smith, Crompton	171 56
Snow, George	41 98
Sobel, Chester	25 55
Taylor, William	3 65
Tobie, Willie	9 13
Tranter, John H.	108 59
Tranter, Catherine V.	12 78
Tubbs, Harland E.	51 10
Turnan, John L.	10 95
Undergraves, Charles	149 66
Watkins, Fred A.	6 39
Watkins, Mrs. Emma F.	69 35
Weidman, Ernest	12 78
Weirsiack, Benjamin	134 14
Young, Peter	78 48

Non-Residents

Aldrich, Herbert	\$65 70
Amgott, Pauline	36 50
Auger, Emil	7 30
Boivert, Joseph	7 30

Bacon, Lillian	9 13
Barro, Frank	10 95
Christianson, Hulda	9 13
Carlson, Carl A. and Anna	7 30
Cofsky, Alfred	7 30
Conlon, James F.	1 83
Comisky, Elizabeth F.	7 30
Deno, Joseph F.	54 75
Dauphinais, Remy	47 45
Duffy, William F.	58 40
England, Martha	187 98
Gagnon, Mary A.	5 48
Guerney, Llewella	7 30
Hunt, Clarence E.	49 28
Johnson, Albert E.	9 13
Johnson, Joseph	7 30
Kimball, Flora D.	3 65
Lavallee, William T.	65 70
Marsh, George S. and Ethel	25 55
Morse, Raymond J.	7 30
Raymond, Irving J.	7 30
Sheehan, John F., Heirs and	
Reardon, Thomas	9 13
Siarkiewicz, John J.	7 30
Taylor, Edwin	58 40
Vitoviyeh, Henry	25 55
Warren, Edmund M.	383 25
Witonick, Henry	10 95
Zalipug, Frank	10 95

1927 DELINQUENTS

Polls

Bernier, Richard	\$2 00
Blaisdell, Cecil	2 00
Bunting, George	2 00
Cadorette, Thomas	2 00

Cadorette, Roland	2 00
Carey, Charles V.	2 00
Carlson, Henry P.	2 00
Courtney, Earl J.	2 00
Crawford, Alexander	2 00
Dambrowsky, Martin	2 00
Dennison, J. Henry	2 00
Doe, Adelbert	2 00
Dubois, Joseph J.	2 00
Dufresne, George	2 00
Dunn, Francis	2 00
Foster, Joseph A.	2 00
Fournier, Lucien	2 00
Gauvin, Theodore	2 00
Gibree, Andrew	2 00
Geronimo, Michael	2 00
Gover, Exlor	2 00
Hofbauer, Victor G.	2 00
Houle, Harvey	2 00
Hunt, Ralph	2 00
Kasper, William	2 00
Labreck, John	2 00
Labreck, Louis J.	2 00
Lachapelle, Theodore, Jr.	2 00
Lacosse, Edward	2 00
Laurin, Henry N.	2 00
Leary, Timothy	2 00
Leary, Charles L.	2 00
Lebel, John B.	2 00
L'Ecuyer, Armond	2 00
Lynn, William	2 00
Lynch, Charles	2 00
Lyons, William	2 00
Labombard, Matthew	2 00
Marchand, Albert	2 00
McManus, Martin S.	2 00
Meacham, Harry L.	2 00

Monfils, Alfred J.	2 00
Morin, Joseph	2 00
Mooney, John	2 00
Mullen, Arthur	2 00
Nelson, John	2 00
O'Connor, Walter J.	2 00
Pierce, Alvin	2 00
Piasta, Frank	2 00
Powers, John J.	2 00
Read, Louis	2 00
Renaud, Theodore	2 00
Renault, Emile	2 00
Revey, Charles	2 00
Roux, Donat	2 00
Roux, Joseph	2 00
Roux, Elphage	2 00
Russell, George H.	2 00
Shields, James	2 00
Smith, Ralph E.	2 00
Snow, George N.	2 00
Snyder, Wilfred J.	2 00
Spetelunis, Antonio	2 00
Stolliker, Charles	2 00
Swett, Roswell B.	2 00
Sundstrom, Harold W.	2 00
Talifer, Nazarine	2 00
Tebo, Joseph	2 00
Tellier, George W.	2 00
Tranter, John H.	2 00
Weirsiack, Benjamin	2 00
Welch, Daniel F.	2 00
Weidman, Ernest	2 00
Werme, Gustave	2 00
White, William	2 00
White, James F.	2 00
White, Albert J.	2 00

Williams, Walter N.	2 00
Woztowicy, Henry	2 00

Residents

Ajam, Mustapha J.	\$20 35
Ames, Mrs. Albert D.	43 48
Anderson, Nils	44 40
Anderson, Francis W.	20 35
Anderson, Arthur N.	9 25
Anderson, Harold F.	18 50
Anderson, Mrs. Hjalmer	40 70
Army, Edward	3 70
Army, Richard, Heirs	42 55
Army, Helma	3 70
Ashton, John W.	75 85
Ashton, Donald C.	7 40
Aubuchont, Louis	55 87
Aubuchont, Alexis	3 70
Aubuchon, William	3 70
Ballard, Arthur	7 40
Ballard, Silas	86 03
Baillargeon, John H.	11 10
Baroni, Tony	57 35
Baroni, Whisty	20 35
Batcheller, Lizzie	72 15
Beasley, Louis N.	16 65
Benoit, Jelas	89 54
Benoit, Leo	3 70
Benson, John W.	62 90
Bengston, John and Eugenia	162 80
Bellville, Silas E.	55 50
Bellville, Est., Frank	146 15
Berg, Axel B.	34 04
Bergstrom, Henry	11 10
Bergstrom, Carl A.	140 60
Bergstrom, Iva W.	7 40

Bergstrom, John	105 45
Bertrand, August	59 20
Bertrand, Mary	58 28
Bergquist, Ernest T.	7 40
Bergquist, Gustave A. and Axca E.	88 80
Biondo, Fred and Philomena	107 30
Blanchard, Edward F.	3 70
Blanchard, Eben F.	105 45
Blanchette, Hector	158 36
Bois, Lawrence	3 70
Bois, David	7 40
Boria, John	284 16
Bombrida, Antonio and Guiseppa	66 60
Boutillier, Joseph J. and Melvina	151 70
Braney, William J.	120 62
Braney, Robert	129 50
Braney, Daniel	66 60
Brewer, Charles	7 40
Breault, William	62 90
Brodeur, Louis	40 70
Bruninghaus, Winifred	127 65
Bruninghaus, Roy	3 70
Bruninghaus, Bertha	148 00
Budreau, Ernest	3 70
Burbank, Charles	181 30
Burakiwicz, William	63 27
Buniowski, John	77 70
Buniowski, Kazimire	94 35
Burgess, Joseph W.	62 90
Burt, Charles	24 05
Butketrick, Anthony	126 54
Carlson, John H. and John H., Jr.	245 13
Carlson, Carl A. and Anna E.	77 70
Carey, Charles V.	3 70
Caron, Henry	33 30
Carr, Florence M.	8 33
Cataldo, Fortunato	94 35

Christian, Louis	44 96
Christian, Ida	2 22
Christian, Napoleon	38 85
Christian, Frank X.	44 40
Christianson, Agnar	149 85
Christianson, Hulda	5 55
Cloutier, Edward A. and Edna M.	29 60
Cofsky, Henry J.	109 15
Cofsky, Clarence	44 40
Collette, David	40 70
Coleman, Henry J. and Bertha	40 70
Conway, John E.	66 60
Courtney, John E.	22 20
Crepeau, Marie	11 10
Crockett, Lloyd H.	9 25
Croteu, John	3 70
Cunniff, John and Julia	14 80
Cunningham, Charles W. and Hazel	75 85
Cunningham Drug Company	18 50
Dana, Charles G.	14 80
Davidson, William G.	112 85
Daw, William	7 40
Densmore, Effie	27 75
Dehias, Adelaide	51 80
Dematio, Frank, Heirs	44 40
Deering, Georgianna	247 90
Deering, Charles M.	16 65
Downer, Carl O. and Ellen	14 80
Dufour, Joseph W. and Louise	92 50
Dumas, Lavinus	49 95
Dufresne, Joseph	29 60
Eaton, Cyrus E.	392 20
Fairbanks, Eugene	74 00
Fegrens, Paul F. and Lena	81 40
Fisher, Josephine	14 80
Fisher, Joseph	3 70
Fladd, Mary E.	22 20

Foshay, Charles	3 70
Forget, Ralph	51 80
Fortier, Joseph	72 15
Foster, Joseph A.	62 90
Frazier, Lawrence	5 55
Flynn, Cornelius	3 70
Gagliardo, Frank J.	3 70
Gabree, Joseph	25 90
Gendron, Oliver	12 95
Geronimo, Michael	3 70
Gessilius, Adolph	90 65
Gessilius, Rudolph	3 70
Gibree, Andrew	11 10
Giles, Arthur G.	3 70
Gilbert, Daniel	2 22
Gilbert, George L. C.	53 65
Gilmore, John G.	7 40
Girard, Cyril	20 35
Glazier, Raymond A.	144 30
Gosselin, Alphonse	3 70
Gosselin, Mrs. Anna	210 90
Gosselin, Edward P.	29 60
Gover, William	76 22
Gover, Fred L.	255 30
Gover, Anna	3 70
Gover, Noey	3 70
Gravel, Joseph	81 40
Greber, Emil G.	192 40
Grenier, Josephine	203 50
Grenier, Ernest	11 10
Greenwood, John R.	615 13
Hafstrom, John E.	37 00
Hall, Eugene B.	5 55
Hanafan, Michael	108 78
Hamley, Nellie L.	57 35
Hamley, Percy	3 70
Hanson, Augustus	3 70

Harper, Charles	9 25
Heck, Julius and Elizabeth	140 60
Helmenson, Mons	49 95
Hjort, Emma	159 10
Hjort, Philip	5 55
Hofbauer, Victor G.	14 80
Howard, James H.	31 45
Howe, Walter H.	41 63
Howe, William R.	165 02
Howe, William E.	3 70
Holbrook Mills	1,340 14
Hunt, Ralph and Nancy	81 40
Jacques, Ida M.	65 49
Jacobson, Alfred J. and Ruth	234 95
Jernstrom, Gustave	55 50
Johnson, Oscar	94 35
Johnson, Carl G.	66 60
Johnson, Joseph E.	29 60
Johnson, Henning and Ellen S.	77 70
Jordan, George	29 60
Keyes, Louis C.	14 80
King, Alfred O.	37 00
Konisky, Anthony M.	162 80
Labreck, John	57 35
Lakin, John F.	140 60
Lamothe, Neri and Josephine	105 45
Landry, Chloe	3 70
Lavallee, Oliver A.	3 70
Lauren, Henry	81 40
Lauren, Alma	5 55
Lebel, Eudor	3 70
Lee, Ida J.	25 90
Lee, Maynard	5 55
Lee, Earl	11 10
Lemieux, Daniel	16 65
Lemay, Hector	11 10
Leffkow, Harry	55 50

Leonard, Alfred	11 10
Letendre, Harold J.	25 90
Letendre, Albina G.	9 25
Little, Arthur	62 90
Lowe, Dora	92 50
Lowder, John F.	25 90
Lugi, Eramo	70 30
Lynn, William	3 70
Lyons, William L.	12 95
Lyons, Bridget	111 00
Maloney Coal Company	42 55
Mann, Harry F.	38 85
Martin, Archie P.	77 70
Martenson, Martin J.	9 25
Mayotte, Delia J.	133 20
Mayotte, Alcide	29 60
McCaskill, Margaret, Heirs	67 53
McCaskill, Donald	3 70
McElroy, Bernard E.	116 55
McElroy, Hariette	48 10
McElroy, William H.	81 40
McNally, Mary, Heirs	18 50
Meacham, Harry and Elizabeth	68 45
Mickelson, John	55 50
Mill, Alfred T.	37 00
Millbury Scouring Company	33 30
Millbury Brick Company	199 80
Millbury Worsted Mills	44 40
Millette, Henry	74 00
Mitrovich, George	55 50
Monfils, Alfred	38 35
Mooney, Thomas	3 70
Moore, Harry G.	5 55
Moorey, Henry E.	9 25
Morash, Catherine F.	3 70
Moorey, Henry E. and Thomas	81 40
Monroe, George W. and Eva R.	14 80

Nadeau, Ernest	14 80
Nelson, Grace N.	29 60
Nelson, James	38 85
Nelson, John and Grace N.	51 80
Nettleblatt, John and Helma	72 15
Norton, John	25 90
Noble, Margaret	44 40
Noble, George	5 55
Norman, Ernest	101 75
Norrie Mills	2,023 90
Nystrom, Paul, Charles and Fred	142 08
O'Connor, Walter J.	3 70
Paine, Mrs. Ida B.	114 70
Paine, Marcus M.	63 27
Paille, Louis P.	92 50
Paradis, Mrs. Josephine	185 00
Paradis, Henry L. V.	109 15
Paradis, Eva	9 25
Paquette, John B.	7 40
Perry, Oliver	7 40
Peterson, Carl	40 70
Peterson, Elvira	85 10
Pickett, Thomas R.	35 15
Pickerstein, Joseph	100 00
Piasta, Frank	22 20
Pierce, Hervey C., Company	72 15
Phaneuf, Remy	7 40
Pratt, Harry A.	181 30
Poirier, Louis	133 20
Proteau, Francis W.	3 70
Provencher, Joseph	61 05
Renault, Edward	136 90
Renaud, Theodore	20 35
Reade, John C.	9 25
Read, Louis	3 70
Read, Raymond	5 55
Rich, John S., Heirs	185 00

Richard French Iron Works	878 75
Rivers, Leo	74 00
Ross, Hoaken	22 20
Roux, Phillip	222 00
Roux, Donat	5 55
Roux, Alphage	7 40
Ruddy, Mrs. Eva J.	40 70
Russell, William E.	7 40
Russell, George	7 40
Santon, Harry and Loretta	68 45
Schifino, Joseph	79 55
Scott, John J.	62 90
Schuemann, Fritz, Jr.	11 10
Sharon, Francis D.	83 25
Shivick, Nicholas	32 19
Smith, Sara A., Annie R. and Rose	39 78
Smith, Russell	5 55
Smith, Crompton	201 65
Snow, Raymond E.	7 40
Snyder, Wilfréd J.	22 20
Sobol, Chester	25 90
Sparrow, Arthur G.	18 50
Spitalunis, Antonio	24 05
Sterling, James	20 35
Stockwell, Alice M.	108 78
Stone, James	48 10
Salmonia, John	33 67
Swanson, Carl A.	109 15
Swanson, Casper	29 60
Sweet, Ted	7 40
Swett, Bernice R.	3 70
Taylor, Charles	11 10
Taylor, Harry	55 50
Tebo, Arthur A.	3 70
Therrien, Oscar	92 50
Tobie, Willie	3 70
Tranter, John H.	109 52

Trombowicz, John	40 70
Tubbs, Eleazer	82 14
Turnan, John L.	24 05
Turnan, Thomas	11 10
Tubbs, Harland B.	48 10
Undergraves, Charles	142 45
Vaitkercia, George	118 40
VanOstrand, Henry	175 75
Vayo, Joseph F.	3 70
Wampus Tribe I. O. R. M.	129 50
Watkins, Fred A.	3 70
Watkins, Emma S., Heirs	77 70
Webber, Octavia	11 10
Webber, Charles H.	48 10
Weidman, Ernest H.	7 40
Wiersiack, Benjamin	129 50
Welch, Daniel F.	11 10
Welch, Frederick L.	140 60
Wermer, Arvid and Mary	40 70
Westerman, Oscar	49 95
Wigstrom, Charles D.	37 00
Wilson, Leslie P. and Lillian	5 55
Windle, Mrs. Phoebe	210 90
Windle, A. D., Company	941 65
Winter, Alvin J.	370 00
Wood, Merton and Gertrude	42 55
Wright, James F.	212 75
Wynicky, Michael	24 05
Young, Agnes M.	72 15
Young, Joseph P.	29 60
Zarrow, Mrs. Ida	193 14
Zaskowski, Ludwick	156 70
Zuiderma, Frank	3 70

Non-Residents

Amgott, Pauline	\$37 00
Argus, Henrietta	7 40

Barrett, Leon J.	444 00
Boivert, Joseph	7 40
Bacon, Lillian	3 70
Bartlett, Seth	7 40
Batcheller, George S., Heirs	14 80
Bagdigian, Jacob	3 70
Baro, Frank	11 10
Bocowki, Benny	7 40
Budvitus, Peter	16 65
Bonner, James H.	111 00
Chzansko, Joseph	11 10
Cammuso, Francisco	5 55
Carroll, Michael	1 85
Carroll, Patrick	5 55
Christianson, Hulda	9 25
Cosgrove, James	1 85
Conlon, James F.	1 85
Comisky, Elizabeth F.	7 40
Denno, Joseph F.	25 90
Carlson, Oscar	14 80
Dauphinais, Remi	48 10
DerHoransian, Mikel	7 40
Dearborn, Margaret	7 40
Derosier, Joseph	5 55
Disley, Margaret L.	1 85
Eramo, Maria	7 40
England, Martha	190 55
Erickson, Carl H.	11 10
Fronk, William and Mary	3 70
Gagnon, Mary G.	5 55
Gedritis, Anthony and Elizabeth	11 10
Harris, Ada	59 20
Harris, Mrs. Evelyn	29 60
Hagg, John G.	25 90
Haskell, John W.	3 70
Haywood, Scott	25 90

Hunt, Clarence E.	49 95
Jacobson, Carl P.	122 10
Johnson, Ingerborg	29 60
Kelliher, Jeremiah	7 40
Kimball, Flora D.	3 70
King, Mrs. Sadie	59 20
Lindley, Georgianna	55 50
Lavallee, William T.	66 60
Longley, George E.	7 40
Ludin, Mrs. Veronica	3 70
Mathews, Alphonse, Heirs	7 40
Marenno, Mary	185 00
Marsh, George S. and Ethel	25 90
Mann, Eva M.	3 70
Nichols, Gertrude N.	185 00
Morrissey, Catherine	1 85
Maloney, Josephine W.	7 40
Moridian, Mrs. Sarah	25 90
Morse, Raymond J.	7 40
Pland, Albert J.	5 55
Peterson, Elmer	3 70
Pike, Marion E.	111 00
Roberts, Ernest P. and Eva	7 40
Ryan, Lester B.	7 40
Sheehan, John F., Heirs and Reardon, Thomas	9 25
St. George, Fred	25 90
Sutcliffe, Henry A.	51 80
Shaughnessy, Edward	18 50
Squire, Mary P.	8 10
Therrien, Philias	12 95
Smith, Harry W.	35 15
Voultsos, Charles	64 75
Warren, Edmund M.	388 50
Welch, Claude R.	22 20
White, Edith H.	9 25
Zalipug, Frank	11 10

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BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILLBURY FOR THE YEAR 1927

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Parents' Name</i>
Jan. 3	_____ Shea	Henry and Malvina
13	_____	_____
14	Hazel Theresa Hamilton	Hugh and Delma
18	Hermeline Anita Noel	Valere and Marie B.
Feb. 2	David Gilbert Montville	
		Pierre G. and Cecilia R.
7	Wesley Robert Downer	Carl O. and Ellen L.
11	Claire Theresa Bertrand	Robert and Anna
12	Harold Irving Benson	Richard W. and Alma
15	Robert D. Coleman	Henry J. and Bertha M.
23	Cecile Marie Blanche Noel	
		Napoleon and Angelina
27	Elizabeth Theresa Mooney	
		Thomas F. and Mary A.
Mar. 5	Frances Urbanovicus	Stanley and Regina
9	Annette Marie Vaillette	Leon N. and Marguerite
10	Bernice E. Crockett	George C. and Edna A.
16	Claire May Monroe	George W. and Eva R.
19	Vivian Josephine Leary	Charles L. and Cora I.
21	Edwina R. Collins	Edward R. and Blanche C.
23	Marjorie May Platts	James and Georgina
25	Walter James Garceau	George and Elsie
29	Anna Marie Credit	Henry J. and Jessie
April 2	Theresa E. Dufresne	Charles E. and Elizabeth
6	Elizabeth A. Army	Frederick and Elizabeth
11	Dorothy Ellen Moore	Elson H. and Annie
16	Evelyn Alice Marchand	Israel J. and Allouise

	21	Ruth Doris Stratford	Thomas T. and Ruth F.
	23	Aurore Marie Nowlan	Daniel and Stella
	25	Francis Ducharme	John D. and Alma
	26	Barbara May Lacrosse	Edward A. and Mary A.
	26	Bernice Ruth Lacrosse	Edward A. and Mary A.
	26	Richard Zuidema	Frank A. and May
	26	Aida Pichierri	Giovanni and Marianna
May	1	Donald Gordon Gover	Exlaw H. and Alzena
	2	Olaf Eric Peterson	C. Emil and Agnes S.
	3	George Commuso	Francesco and Giovannina
	6	Shirley Carey	Charles V. and Belle
	10	Charles Henry Webber, Jr.	
			Charles H. and Lillian J.
	14	Joyce Blanche Belleville	Silas E. and Cora A.
	16	Mary Blanche Florence Bernier	
			Albert and Clara
	22	Anna May Gravel	George E. and Loretta
	28	—————	—————
	31	Nora May Vaillancourt	Arsene and Angelina
June	5	Arthur Aloysius Norton	John W. and Nellie
	10	Clarence Joseph Muscatello	
			Dominico F. and C. Beatrice
	11	Sarah Evangeline Gasco	Felix and Mildred M.
	14	Alice Irene Pelletier	Napoleon L. and Irene
	15	Gloria Marie LaBreck	Louis E. and Margaret
	16	————— Renauld	Theodore and Mary
	19	Shirley Z. Murray	Alonzo E. and Fannie E.
	19	Clement Olivier Lebel	Alfred and Irene
	21	Marie Laura Irene Leblanc	William J. and Clara
	26	Ralph Gene Geronimo	Michel A. and Marie J.
	28	—————	Lloyd S. and Helen R.
	29	Mary B. Whipple	Earle E. and Eva L.
July	5	Dorothy Ann Christian,	Arthur F. and Florence
	6	Harold M. Blanchard	Harold and Irene
	9	————— Sheppard	Walter and Marie
	9	Virginia Lynch	Napoleon and Alice M.

	10	Carl A. Schelin	Carl A. and Delia M.
	14	Alice Gauvin	J. Theodore and Clara S.
	19	Thomas Francis Nash	Harold E. and Rose
	19	Bessie A. Murray	William G. and Harriett W.
	21	——— Webb	Arthur C. and Olive M.
	22	William C. Young, Jr.	William C. and Mary E.
	22	Anne E. Young	William C. and Mary E.
	22	Carl Kenneth Orne	Carl H. and Eva
	27	Bernice Muriel L'Esperance	Henry and Muriel
Aug.	7	George William Army	William E. and Hilma M.
	11	Eileen Gallagher	George R. and Julia G.
	12	Mildred May Broberg	Oscar and Mary
	13	Henry Robert Zollin	Carl A. and Edith M.
	18	George Eli Beeso	Eli A. and Malvina
	20	——— Synder	Wilfred and Emma
	22	Camella Cataldo	Fortunato and Maria
	22	——— Lavallee	Adelard and Olivia
	24	Paul Albert Aubin	Henry and Flora
	24	———	———
	29	Donald Ballard	Alexander E. and Veronica E.
	30	———	———
	31	———	———
Sept.	7	Harry Raymond Howard,	Harry and Florence L.
	9	Doris Zuidema	Peter and Delphine M.
	10	Donald P. Cyr	Joseph A. and Irene A.
	23	——— Morgan	E. Kendall and Dorothy
	23	Emma M. Pierce	William A. and Sylvia H. L.
	26	Arthur Roland White	Albert and Laura
	28	David W. Auger	Melvin A. and Eva
	29	Marion Gaulin	Frank and Eva
	29	——— Christo	James and Mary
	30	Marianna Gallio	Raffaele and Rosa
Oct.	2	Elizabeth Theresa Hamilton	Charles P. and Flora
	4	Alphonse Leon Lacouture	Alphonse L. and Josephine R.
	6	Dorothy Vayo	Joseph F. and Alice

	6	Nancy C. Winter	Alvan J. and Bertha A.
	7	Betty E. Johnson	Oscar H. and Edla M.
	14	Warren Gifford Baldwin	Fred R. and Florence C.
	15	May Elizabeth Sweet	Alfred J. and May E.
	16	Elaine Alma Charpentier	William L. and Hazel L.
	19	Joseph Francis Budreau	Joseph F. and Clarice H.
	20	Geraldine Howard	James H. and Ellen
	22	Marion Reidy	James P. and Clara M.
	24	Vernon Edward Hicks	Ralph J. and Laura
	24	Theodore A. Cofsky	Theodore J. and Rose M.
	27	Robert J. Smith	Carl L. and Frances L.
Nov.	1	Russell E. Nelson	Emil J. and Elsie
	1	Clarence Joseph Hart	Clarence N. and Eva M.
	3	Joseph Gerard Norman	Gaulin Leo and Edna
	5	Helen P. May	J. Frederick and Anna G.
	6	Carl Howard Hafstrom	Erick and Ida
	6	Dorothy Annie Jacques	Moses W. and Laura
	10	Eleanor Little	Felix and Ellen
	13	———— Wynicky	Michael and Mary
	16	Rose Mary Hall	Eugene and Antoinette
	18	Mildred May Hairyes	Frederick and Loretta
	24	Eileen Stewart	Andrew M. and Eliza J.
	25	Carol May Hart	Arthur R. and Inez R.
	26	Joseph Norman Alcide Fournier	Lucien and Olive
	28	Kathleen O'Brien	Francis and Mary G.
	29	Loraine Eva St. Germain	Alexander and Delia
Dec.	4	———— Tauffenbach	Frederick and Erna
	4	Thomas Francis Connor	Thomas and Isabelle
	9	Arthur Kenneth James	Arthur and Evelyn M.
	11	Gloria Lillian Carrigan	Hector C. and Dorothy E.
	17	Earle Peter George	Claude and Amelia
	27	————	————
	29	Lucile Snow	William and Anna

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF
MILLBURY FOR THE YEAR 1927

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Place</i>
Jan.	1 Eugene B. Hall of Millbury, and Antoinette Marando of Grafton, at Grafton.	
	6 Arthur Hanna of Worcester, and Mary C. Brown of Millbury, at Worcester.	
	19 Charles E. Pierce of Millbury, and Leona Auger of Grafton, at Grafton.	
Feb.	5 Frederick Tauffenbach of Millbury, and Erna Grohs of Millbury, at Worcester.	
	8 Waldemar Berg of Auburn, and Frances E. Burt of Millbury, at Auburn.	
	12 Howard A. Charbonneau of Millbury, and Helen M. Ek of Worcester, at Worcester.	
	14 Alexander A. Ballard of Millbury, and Veronica Lebeau of Northbridge, at Northbridge.	
	21 Edouard D. Bois of Millbury, and Albina Lucier of Grafton, at Grafton.	
	22 Francis N. O'Brien of Millbury, and Mary G. Connor of Millbury, at Millbury.	
Mar.	1 Hervey J. St. John of Sutton, and Fabiola Choniere of Millbury, at Millbury.	
	1 George E. Gravel of Millbury, and Loretta Gover of Northbridge, at Northbridge.	
	25 Herbert McCracken of Millbury, and Fannie E. Killam of Millbury, at Boston.	
	26 John Cabot Reade of Millbury, and Dorothy L. Grout of Millbury, at Millbury.	
April	16 Philip J. Miles of Millbury, and Edith E. Hutcherson of Waltham, at Waltham.	
	18 George H. Lafayette of Millbury, and Sarah E. Foshay of Millbury, at Millbury.	
	18 Alfred J. Sweet of Millbury, and May E. Coutu of Millbury, at Millbury.	

- 19 William A. Dunn of Millbury, and Lucienne Bruneau of Northbridge, at Northbridge.
 - 19 George H. Pierce of Millbury, and Yvonne I. Pollier of Worcester, at Worcester.
 - 25 Harold A. Merriam of Oxford, and Elsie I. Gilson of Millbury, at Leicester.
 - 26 Roswell B. Swett of Millbury, and Avis E. Howe of Millbury, at Millbury.
 - 26 Fred B. Shippee of Worcester, and Mary O. Laugevin of Worcester, at Millbury.
- May
- 2 Arthur J. Vallee of Millbury, and Alice Gendron of Sutton, at Millbury.
 - 7 Carl A. Jacobson of Worcester, and Karin Ljungberg of Millbury, at Worcester.
 - 7 Carl J. Konkol of Auburn, and Edith L. Burt of Millbury, at Auburn.
 - 8 William J. McCullough of Millbury, and Marion (Millbury) Houle of Millbury, at Grafton.
 - 9 James T. Shore of Sutton, and Alice E. Lemieux of Millbury, at Millbury.
 - 14 John F. Hoyt of Westboro, and Marion E. Stone of Millbury, at Millbury.
 - 22 Wellington J. Small of Millbury, and Florence I. Rosland of Millbury, at Worcester.
 - 23 Everett E. Streeter of Millbury, and Irene E. Tessier of Northbridge, at Northbridge.
 - 28 Harry Walsh of Millbury, and Annie F. Balmer of Millbury, at Millbury.
 - 30 Nelson J. Boucher of Millbury, and Annie Garripy of Woonsocket, R. I., at Southbridge.
- June
- 4 Hans E. Anderson of Millbury, and Hazel M. Kirk of Worcester, at Worcester.
 - 6 Carl L. Smith, Jr., of Millbury, and Frances L. Flechsig of Springfield, at Worcester.
 - 6 Charles M. Whalen of Worcester, and Alice V. Dwyer of Millbury, at Millbury.

- 11 Walter Taylor of Millbury, and Frances C. Taylor of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 15 Ralph Humes of Millbury, and Gertrude M. Young of Worcester, at Worcester.
- 20 Thomas A. Markey of Millbury, and Amelia L. Dufresne of Millbury, at Grafton.
- 23 Clarence L. Boutwell of Worcester, and Dorothy V. Pettit of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 25 Delwyn Dautrich of Whitinsville, and Theresa Dunn of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 26 George Sanko of Worcester, and Sophie Bogdonoviz of Worcester, at Millbury.
- 27 Harold H. Stone of Worcester, and Velma E. Cadorette of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 29 Ralph P. Day of Millbury, and Dorothy R. Marble of Millbury, at Millbury.
- July 2 Edmund Giroux of Millbury, and Mary Desrosier of Grafton, at Grafton.
- 4 Nelson C. Granger of Worcester, and Viola Granaskrewicz of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 4 Leo L. Crepeau of Millbury, and Alice I. Shaw of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 4 Theodore LeClaire of Northbridge, and Marie D. Burbank of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 18 Walter L. Carroll of Millbury, and Mary T. Shea of Worcester, at Worcester.
- 25 Harold A. Hairyes of Millbury, and Irene M. Hackett of Millbury, at Worcester.
- Aug. 13 Harry Hafstrom of Millbury, and Winnifred M. Swicker of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 16 Arthur James of Millbury, and Evelyn M. Lacrosse of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 22 Gotthard Lundgren of Millbury, and Alta (Penny) (McCullen) Christensen of Millbury, at Worcester.
- 27 Gerald D. Garvey of Millbury, and Anna G. Bowles of Millbury, at Millbury.

- 29 John J. McGovern of Millbury, and Florence Bradshaw of Millbury, at Millbury.
- Sept. 5 Baden McLean of Millbury, and Beatrice G. Bertrand of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 5 Ernest L. Perry of Millbury, and Marion R. Clouthier of Worcester, at Worcester.
- 5 Leo H. Fortier of Millbury, and Rose A. Gareau of Brockton, at Brockton.
- 5 Theodore J. Morin of Millbury, and Leona Letourneau of Worcester, at Worcester.
- 17 Forrest E. Wilcox of Niagara Falls, N. Y., and May Taylor of Millbury, at Worcester.
- 19 John T. Herbst of Grafton, and Mary L. Burnap of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 26 Leo Messier, Jr., of Millbury, and Regina Lapan of Millbury, at Millbury.
- Oct. 1 Albert A. Perreault of Worcester, and Hazel Charbonneau of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 15 John A. Dunkerly of Millbury, and Winifred Rixham of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 17 Stephen E. Benjamin of Millbury, and Mary G. Stevenson of Worcester, at Worcester.
- 20 Louis Turturro of Worcester, and Antoinette Bombredi of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 22 William F. Taft of Millbury, and Olive L. Stockwell of Sutton, at Millbury.
- 29 Charles A. Wheeler of Springfield, Mass., and Annie (Nichols) Leonard of Brattleboro, Vt., at Millbury.
- Nov. 18 Warren H. Upham of Worcester, and Mary Doris Meacham of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 19 Philip S. Hult of Worcester, and Gertrude Higginbottom of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 19 Charles F. Brewer, Jr., of Millbury, and Beatrice Couture of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 21 Albert Votour of Shirley, and Myrtle L. Fish of Millbury, at Millbury.

- 21 Frank A. Mazzeo of Worcester, and Ida Paletta of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 23 Clifford E. Rascoe of Northbridge, and Alice M. Sweet of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 24 Dennis L. Kelliher of Millbury, and Marion I. Howard of North Brookfield, at North Brookfield.
- 24 George A. Boucher of Millbury, and Florence Perron of Worcester, at Worcester.
- 25 Michael Paletta of Millbury, and Laura E. Martin of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 25 Albert J. Collette of Millbury, and Helen Gilbert of Millbury, at Millbury.
- Dec. 16 William N. G. MacDonald of Worcester, and Grace E. Hall of Millbury, at Worcester.
- 17 Lewis Hockstra of Northbridge, and Muriel M. Thomas of Millbury, at Millbury.
- 23 Ernest J. Collette of Millbury, and Mabel Gilbert of Millbury, at Millbury.

DEATHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF MILLBURY
FOR THE YEAR 1927

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Birthplace</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>D</i>
Jan. 2	Emma C. Paine,	Hooksett, N. H.	68	4	13
3	———Shea,	Millbury, Mass.	—	—	—
7	Tyler Stockwell,	Sutton, Mass.	65	—	22
9	Thomas J. Fox,	Worcester, Mass.	44	—	—
18	Eugene N. Emmons,	Putnam, Conn.	50	2	1
18	Mitchell J. Paradise,	Canada	67	—	—
21	Olivine Gamache,	Worcester, Mass.	50	10	6
Feb. 8	Lloyd Henry,	Glover, Millbury, Mass.	34	—	—
18	Ivers S. Paine,	Sutton, Mass.	81	—	13
20	Henry Harry Howard,	Belfast, Ireland	46	8	2

Mar.	4	Catherine E. Fox, Upton, Mass.	63	—	—
	5	Helen Evelyn Buckley, Worcester, Mass.	1	8	2
	7	William Molt, New York, N. Y.	64	8	5
	9	Urban Leblanc, St. Louis, New Brunswick, Canada	75	—	10
	10	Rose E. Watchorn, Ireland	50	—	—
	30	Aizelia Caisse, St. Dennie, P. Q., Canada	60	4	17
April	4	John H. Keay, Maine	72	4	15
	5	Julia L. White, Sorel, Canada	76	3	15
	5	Nellie Florence Thompson, Lewis- ton, Me.	72	7	24
	13	Milvina Garceau, New Bedford, Mass.	52	9	8
	14	Alexander Mitchell, Vermont	65	—	—
	28	Frank Belleville, St. Oms, P. Q., Canada	92	—	28
May	20	Roland George Christian, Worces- ter, Mass.	15	—	—
	23	John Hamdon Buffington	48	—	—
	25	Louis A. Gilbert, Worcester, Mass.	32	4	1
	26	Carl Carlson, Sweden	60	7	29
	30	David G. Montville, Millbury, Mass.	—	3	28
June	1	Monique Roy, Canada	86	1	16
	4	Loretta L. Eaton, Worcester, Mass.	36	—	—
	10	Charles Wilson Washburn, Van Burensburg, Ill.	76	7	2
	12	Edward Henry Harper, Millbury, Mass.	—	8	—
	17	Edward Blanchard, St. Albans, Vt.	63	—	—
	25	Elizabeth Lee, Newark, N. J.	59	8	7
	25	Madeline H. Frazier, Millbury, Mass.	1	0	14
July	2	Katherine Johnson, Sweden	90	—	—

	9	————— Shepard, Leominster, Mass.	—	—	—
	15	Joseph D. Roux, Princeville, P. Q., Canada	62	3	24
	16	Jonas Emil Nelson, Skane, Sweden	27	10	15
	17	Dora Morin, New Bedford, Mass.	38	2	5
	22	Lawrence Fagerquist, Worcester, Mass.	33	—	27
	25	Adele Ballard, St. Rosalie, P. Q., Canada	75	1	14
	25	William C. Young, Worcester, Mass.	—	—	3
	31	Bridget Maloney, Ireland	70	—	—
Aug.	5	Lillie P. Smith, Millbury, Mass.	75	4	7
	8	Henry W. Roberts, Hartford, Conn.	49	4	3
	18	Eugene Desmarais, St. Hyacinth, P. Q.	55	5	25
	18	Henry W. Sweetser, Statesville, R. I.	80	3	29
	22	————— Lavallee, Worcester, Mass.	10 Min.		
	22	Paul Gemme, St. Mathias, P. Q., Canada	82	2	25
Sept.	3	—————, —————	2 Days		
	12	John Oscar Linder, Sweden	34	2	25
	28	Bernadette M. Lesperance, Mill- bury, Mass.	—	2	1
Oct.	1	Mary Kiley Danforth, Millbury, Mass.	66	2	21
	2	John W. Norton, Leeds, England	62	—	30
	5	M. Louise Stone, Millbury, Mass.	52	3	7
	6	Edith M. Fuller, Berlin, N. Y.	64	9	16
	11	Edward Desroches, Redford, N. Y.	76	11	28
	23	Julia M. Budreau, Millbury, Mass.	59	—	1
	28	Margaret L. White, Scotland	90	8	16
	30	Matilda Caisse, Canada	68	8	5

Nov.	8	Ashley Forsythe, Greenwich, Nova Scotia	90	3	30
	12	Edla B. Fagerquist, Sweden	65	3	16
	15	Mary Baillargeon, Canada	71	—	—
	16	Mary E. Stoliker, Groton, Mass.	53	—	11
	28	Emily Beasley, Millbury, Mass.	68	—	—
	30	Josephine Snow, Worcester, Mass.	61	5	28
Dec.	5	George Beso, Millbury, Mass.	—	3	17
	16	Glenn F. Stowe, Orleans, Vt.	51	9	13
	19	William Perron, Canada	40	8	29
	24	Charles A. Brown, East Douglas, Mass.	61	6	26

DOGS LICENSED IN 1926 AFTER REPORT WAS PRINTED

Savmolina, John 2	Hildreth, Joseph O.
Mains, Walter J.	Anderson, Harold F.
Benson, W. J.	Ross, O.

DOGS LICENSED IN 1927

Ambrose, Anthony	Adams, Florence
Anderson, A.	Army, Edward 2
Anderson, Albert	Adams, Philip J. 2
Army, Victor	Army, Mary
Army, Richard	Adamonis, William
Allen, W. J.	Andros, John 2
Army, Harold 2	Aubuchont, Homer
Alsing, Margaret E.	Army, James
Adams, Bertis H.	Army, Anthony
Anderson, Francis 2	Ajam, Mrs. M.
Army, Fred	Army, Peter J.
Arrington, C. L.	
Allaire, Orphidas	Bailey, C. S.
Auger, Melvin	Bennett, John D.
Army, Alan	Blanchard, Edward
Army, Napoleon	Burns, John F.

Bouthillier, Marie
 Boucher, George
 Berthiaume, Camille
 Bourbeau, Aime
 Bunavich, Charles
 Bowen, C. W.
 Burakewicz, William
 Barratt, William C.
 Bouthillier, Joseph J.
 Beaton, John
 Burnap, Joseph
 Bergstrom, C. Philip
 Brown, Leo D.
 Boutiette, Fannie S. 3
 Boria, John
 Bice, Margaret M.
 Bergquist, Ernest T.
 Burt, Charles 2
 Bartlett, William E.
 Brackett, C. W.
 Beatty, C. R.
 Bernier, Albert
 Budreau, Leo
 Bice, Fred
 Berthiaume, E. J.
 Braney, Daniel 2
 Bonzey, Charles
 Budreau, Alfred
 Bellville, Silas
 Bottomley, Alex
 Berg, Axel B.
 Berg, Theodore
 Burroughs, Joseph 2
 Bertrand, Louis
 Blanchard, William
 Brunelle, Walter
 Bruninghaus, R. W.

Blanchard, Arthur
 Bordeaux, Mary
 Braney, Robert 3
 Bernard, Joseph
 Bartkus, Frank 2
 Braney, George
 Braney, William
 Briddon, Albert
 Bent, Mrs. H. P.
 Brown, E. E.
 Brunelle, Fred C.
 Bedrosian, A.
 Buckley, William
 Bombrede, Tony
 Beaton, John
 Butkevich, Anthony
 Blanchette, Hector
 Bagdis, Joseph
 Benoit, Leo
 Benoit, Wilfred
 Beaudoin, Fred
 Baggott, Felix
 Blanchard, William
 Benoit, G. J.
 Benoit, Wilfred
 Burinsky, Francis
 Bellville, Arthur
 Buniowski, John 2
 Bengston, John
 Beeso, Eli
 Broult, Donat
 Bent, Robert M.
 Bois, Joseph

 Carter, T. E.
 Cunniff, John
 Christian, George

Cannon, Kevin
 Cotton, John 2
 Carr, Mrs. S. H.
 Cote, Eusebe
 Cote, Frank
 Cassidy, Francis L.
 Cullina, James
 Capistron, Joseph
 Connor, James H.
 Cadorette, A. 3
 Colton, Susanna B. 2
 Carignan, Pierre 2
 Couture, Leo
 Cobb, Mrs. M. A.
 Carlstrom, C. W.
 Christian, Frank X.
 Couture, Joseph
 Croteau, George
 Connor, Walter J.
 Cofsky, Henry H.
 Collette, Albert 2
 Couture, Aliase
 Culver, Clarence
 Charboneau, Mrs. H.
 Cuthbertson, Mabel
 Collette, Henry J.
 Cataldo, Frank
 Carlstrom, Edwin 2
 Christian, Louis
 Colaruso, Dominic
 Couture, Telesphore
 Carlstrom, Edwin
 Carr, Florence M.
 Crockett, George C.
 Cormier, Ida
 Cotton, R. J.
 Collette, Ernest

Courtney, John E.
 Cofsky, Edmorse
 Cross, W. H.
 Christian, Napoleon L.
 Chapdelaine, Oliver
 Commiso, Frank
 Courtney, John E.
 Cunningham, George

Dahne, Francis
 Dunn, Frederick
 Drudise, Gus 3
 Dunn, Charles F.
 Delaney, George F. 3
 Dumas, Levinus
 Dumas, Louis H.
 Demarais, Philip
 Day, Charles F. 3
 Dufresne, John H.
 Doe, Burton E.
 Dufour, Wilfred
 Densmore, Effie B. 2
 Doe, Wilson S.
 Davagian, Sarkis
 Donavan, Daniel F.
 De'sy, C. F.
 Dakorasdas, Tony
 Davidson, William G.
 Dean, Lavinia R.
 Demarais, Philip
 Ducharme, John D.
 Daw, William H.
 Dolan, John J.
 Deering, C. M. 2
 Dahne, Louis T.
 Ducharme, Marguerite
 Dubois, Ernest

Douhan, John

Elinkus, V.

Eramo, Luigi

Ela, William J.

Ellis, George

Erickson, Carl

Foster, E. O.

Forrest, Charles

Faron, Frank

Forsberg, J.

Fink, James

Fegrues, Paul

Frykholm, Edward 3

Finneran, Hugh 2

Fontaine, A. C.

Fjellman, Carl

Frazier, Thomas

Flagg, Frank

Fox, Wyman

Fish, Kenneth

Graves, William H.

Gover, Fred L.

George, Claude

Gabree, Mrs. J. H.

Gaucher, Richard

Gilbert, John

Gover, Mary G.

Gagliardi, John

Giles, Arthur

Grenier, Louis H.

Gosselin, Edward P.

Gilbert, John T.

Glazier, R. A.

Gendron, Fred

Gardner, George

Gingrass, Joseph

Girard, Louis

Gardner & Leclaire

Gover, Exlaw 2

Gravel, George

Gesselius, Adolph

Gibson, William

Gilman, Mabel

Gilmore, John

Garceau, Marshall

Gillert, Richard F.

Goddard, Harry M. 2

Geronimo, Michael

Gurgzdis, Anthony

Girard, Cyril

Greene, A. H.

Greenwood, Mattie B.

Gallacher, Richard

Gay, Nelson V.

Hebert, Mark

Hayward, Pearl M.

Hart, Arthur

Horne, D. O.

Hall, Fred R.

Hull, Samuel

Hanson, Harry

Hull, Bertha

Harris, C. H.

Higginbottom, Cyril

Horne, Charles E., Jr.

Hairyes, Elliott

Hildreth, F. L.

Hooper, Leslie J.

Home Soap Co. 2

Hebert, John 2

Harper, C. H.
 Hazelwood, Nellie
 Holman, Alice M.
 Hannum, Harrie 2
 Hanavan, Michael
 Harris, Joseph P.
 Hogan, Arthur
 Horne, Waldo W.
 Hagstrom, Eric
 Hawley, Percy
 Hunt, Carl E.
 Hall, Ray M.
 Hagstrom, C. W.
 Hayden, Oscar 2
 Hairyes, Harold
 Hairyes, Henry
 Higginbottom, George
 Hildreth, Joseph O., Jr.
 Horne, Harry B. 2
 Howard, Robert S.
 Horne, Walter B.
 Hanson, A. L.
 Hafstrom, Alvina
 Horne, Frank L.
 Howard, Agnes
 Hairyes, Fred
 Haggerty, William

Johnson, Gilbert
 James, Wilfred 2
 Johnson, Joseph E.
 Jette, Dona
 Johnson, Oscar 3
 Jacques, Joseph F.
 Johnson, Ernest
 Johnson, Carl 3
 Janukas, Simon W.

Joslin, Stella
 Jacques, Joseph P.

Kaveckas, John
 Kratchmann, Teresa
 Kilmer, Charles
 Kasputis, Frank
 Kinniery, Anna
 Kyadar, William 3
 Kusulis, Benny
 Kenary, Richard
 Kavolis, Peter 2
 King, Alfred I.
 Kemegio, Thomas
 Kupsinska, Peter
 Kuozara, Albert

Lindsay, W.
 Landry, Joseph
 Lynch, David
 Lincoln, Frances W.
 Leese, Thomas 2
 Levesque, Alexina
 Lagerholm, Richard A.
 Lemieux, Joseph
 Lavallee, Adelard
 Lemay, Conrad
 LeClaire, Joseph O.
 Lee, Earl 3
 Lachapelle, Theodore
 Ling, Charles D.
 Little, Arthur
 Lesein, Gladys
 Lesein, Maurice
 Lamothe, George
 Lucas, Albert
 Lyons, William L.

LaBreck, John
Lacouture, Edwidge

Moorey, Thomas
Mogren, Andrew G.
Murray, Anna G.
Morris, Arthur
Marlborough, John
Metcalf, John
Moore, F. W.
Marlow, Thomas J.
Montaquilla, D.
Minney, Louis
Moss, Lloyd
Mulhane, J. J.
Miller, William
Magill, Elizabeth
Meacham, Chester W.
Maynard, P. E.
Marchand, Israel
Marble, Kenn  th
Maynes, Jay A.
Matson, Louis
Murphy, Walter J.
Morris, Roy
Miller, John
Moorehouse, H. E.
Molt, Carl H.
Mayers, Barbara
Maines, Dorothy
Mooridian, Peter
Molis, S.
Markey, Arthur J.
Maloney, James
Moore, Harry G.
Mitchell, Walter
Magurn, Philip

Millette, Henry
Michelson, John
Montague, Richard
Mooney, Mary
McManus, Martin 4
McElroy, B. E. 2
McGrath, Edward L.
McGrath, Patrick H.
McCardle, Mary

Noble, George
Norman, Ernest
Norton, Anna
Nystrom Bros. 2
Nyberg, Hilda
Nelson, Robert
Norton, John W.
Nettlebladt, John
Neff, A. C.
Nettleblatt, Henry

Orn, C. H. 3
O'Connor, Betty
O'Brien, Maurice

Powell, William H.
Perreault, Frank A.
Paine, Oliver 2
Proctor, Olive F.
Proal, Thomas J.
Pariseau, Ernest A.
Polachi, C. 2
Papineau, R. A.
Pierce, Mildred
Pierce, Evelyn
Pierce, H. C.
Pierce, William A.

Pierce, Alvin W.
 Pella, Josephine
 Patterson, H. K.
 Platts, Rose A.
 Pierce, Charles 2
 Plaude, Philip
 Platts, James
 Paradis, Eva
 Platts, George
 Pierce, George H.
 Pierce, Clarence
 Piasta, Frank
 Paquette, Charles E.
 Paine, Marcus M.
 Pickett, Thomas, Mrs.
 Peloquin, Leo R.
 Powers, Caroline
 Perry, Ora
 Poirier, John
 Pratt, H. A.
 Platts, John

Riley, Walter
 Rice, Ossian
 Richardson, Thomas 3
 Raymond, Jason C. 2
 Raymond, Ervin J.
 Ross, O.
 Rutkowski, Mike 2
 Rice, Wilhelmina
 Roth, Christopher
 Rowe, James B.
 Reilly, John F.
 Reade, John C.
 Riel, A. C.
 Rixham, Charles
 Rock, Edward

Racicot, Louis G.
 Riley, Charles
 Rudnickas, J. 2
 Russell, Marshall
 Robert, Adonis L.
 Roberts, William L. 2
 Roach, M. J.

Salo, Victor
 Starkus, Joseph A.
 Shepard, C. W.
 Stead, Joseph
 Stowe, G. B.
 Sullivan, Joseph
 Salmonsens, Martin 2
 Sinclaire, Theresa
 Shevick, Stanley
 Stupelkowski, Frank 2
 Sweet, Axel
 Streeter, Ethel
 Shay, Helen 2
 Shields, James
 Smith, Lester M.
 Shaw, M. H., Mrs.
 Sweet, Alfred J.
 Smith, Allen
 Stockwell, Robert J.
 Snow, William
 Stowe, William E.
 Snow, Fred N.
 Sparrow, Arthur
 Schellschmidt, Ernest
 Soboll, Chester
 Swenson, Arthur
 Spetalonis, Anthony
 Santon, Harry, Mrs.
 Safford, E. A.

Swett, B. R.
 Stoliker, Charles
 Sprague, Viola B.
 Snow, Marion B.
 St. Germain, Alexander
 Sullivan, Thomas H. 2
 Smith, Russell 2
 Smith, H. F.
 Snelling, H. L.
 Stoliker, Daniel
 Soulor, Frank
 Sterling, James
 Stockwell, S. F.
 Shepard, Walter C.
 Smith, Joseph 2
 Salois, Louis A.
 Savoie, Oscar
 Spirkwyc, Stanley
 Salmonsens, S.

Trombowicz, John
 Tatro, Joseph
 Taylor, Clifford
 Tranter, Ann 2
 Taft, Ellen

Urbanavicius, Stanley

Vigeant, William 2
 Vulter, Fred

White, Edwin
 Witter, E. W.
 Witter, Harold C.
 Whitworth, Russell
 Wood, Merton E.
 Wright, P. G.

Wheeler, Gladys K.
 Windle, Winfred W. 3
 Wall, John 3
 Whitehead, George E.
 White, Bevis E.
 Werme, Arvid
 White, Albert
 Westerman, Rudolph
 White, Edward
 White, Napoleon
 Wierstak, B.
 White, Mattie D.
 Windle, Arthur D.
 Wizpatis, Maggie
 Willand, Chester
 Walsh, Marie
 Walsh, James F.
 Wilbur, David
 Wilson, Nellie M.
 Wood, Frederick E. 2
 Wilkevich, George
 Waitkus, Chris. 2
 Watkins, Howard
 Wigton, William F.
 Wright, James F., Jr.
 Weidman, Ernest

Yewczyk, Adam 2
 Young, William C.
 Young, E. Joseph

Zykosky, Louis
 Zona, John
 Zarrow, M.
 Zelinsky, Martin
 Zuidema, Frank

DOG ACCOUNT TO DECEMBER 1, 1927

471 Males at \$2.00 each	\$942 00
104 Females at \$5.00 each	520 00
1 Breeder at \$25.00	25 00
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	\$1,487 00
Clerk's Fees	115 20
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	\$1,371 80

Report of Town Treasurer

Balance Dec. 31, 1926	\$14,597 94
Received during the year	417,412 69
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	\$432,010 63
Payments during the year	\$403,134 72
Balance Dec. 31, 1927	28,875 91
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	\$432,010 63

TOWN LIBRARY

Calvin Barker Fund

Balance Dec. 31, 1926	\$1,106 83
Dividends to Jan. 1, 1928	54 76
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	\$1,161 59
Withdrawn	48 75
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	\$1,112 84

Lucy Barker Fund

Balance Dec. 31, 1926	\$111 98
Dividends to Jan. 1, 1928	4 42
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	\$116 40
Withdrawn	48 75
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	\$67 65

Amy Harrington Fund

Balance Dec. 31, 1926	\$1,634 47
Dividends to Jan. 1, 1928	81 50
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	\$1,715 97
Withdrawn	48 75
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	\$1,667 22

Tamar Goldthwaite Fund

Balance Dec. 31, 1926	\$499 80
Interest to Jan. 1, 1928	24 58
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	\$524 38
Withdrawn	83 25
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	\$441 13

Orville Thompson Fund

Nov. 17, 1928 deposited	\$1,000 00
Dividends to Jan. 1, 1928	4 17
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	\$1,004 17

TOWN OF MILLBURY

Surplus War Bonus Fund

Balance Dec. 31, 1926	\$3,058 13
Dividends to Jan. 1, 1928	154 80
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	\$3,212 92

Notes Outstanding

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Maturity</i>
Aug. 20, 1921	\$2,000 00	Aug. 20, 1928
Aug. 20, 1921	2,000 00	Aug. 20, 1929

Aug. 20, 1921	2,000 00	Aug. 20, 1930
Aug. 20, 1921	2,000 00	Aug. 20, 1931
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\$8,000 00		

High School

Serial 4½% Bonds, 1928-1933	\$15,000 00
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Millbury Avenue School

Serial 4% Bonds, 1928-1944	\$33,000 00
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Motor Hose Car No. 1

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Maturity</i>
May 1, 1926	\$3,000 00	May 1, 1928
May 1, 1926	2,000 00	May 1, 1929
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\$5,000 00		

Howe Avenue Cement Road

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Maturity</i>
July 10, 1926	\$5,000 00	July 10, 1928
July 10, 1926	4,000 00	July 10, 1929
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\$9,000 00		

North Main Street Cement Road

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Maturity</i>
July 10, 1926	\$3,000 00	July 10, 1928
July 10, 1926	2,000 00	July 10, 1929
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\$5,000 00		

Canal Street Cement Road

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Maturity</i>
July 10, 1926	\$2,000 00	July 10, 1928

West and River Streets Cement Road

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Maturity</i>
July 10, 1926	\$5,000 00	July 10, 1928
July 10, 1927	4,000 00	July 10, 1929
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	\$9,000 00	

Temporary Notes for General Municipal Purposes

<i>Date</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Maturity</i>
April 1, 1927	\$20,000 00	April 1, 1928
Sept. 10, 1927	30,000 00	Sept. 10, 1928
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	\$50,000 00	
Total Indebtedness		\$136,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. MULHANE.

Report of Board of Public Welfare

To the Selectmen of the Town of Millbury :

The name of this department was changed May 31, 1927 from Overseers of Poor to Board of Public Welfare as per Chapter 165 of the Acts of the Legislature, approved March 25, 1927.

The details of the expenditure of this Board will be found in the Auditor's report on another page.

The report of the Charlton Home Farm Association you will also find on another page of this report, the board of inmates at the Home was advanced One Dollar per week on Jan. 1, 1927.

The depression in the textile industry still continues which with the advance of the charges by the City Hospital of Worcester on May 1st, and by several other associations and the payment of case of Mother's Aid from another town of \$1,040.16 for 1925 and 1926, our appropriation has been overdrawn by \$147.38.

We recommend an appropriation of \$17,500.00 for the support of the poor and the salaries of the Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ADOLPHUS L. MARTIN,
ALBERT F. DESPARD,
FRED W. MOORE,

Board of Public Welfare.

Report of the Charlton Home Farm Association

For the Year Ending December 31, 1927.

Receipts

Milk	\$1,570 47
Stock	232 00
Miscellaneous	320 36
Inmates' Board	10,244 36
Boarders	382 85
Assessment for painting	800 44
Total	<hr/> \$13,550 48

Expenditures

Frank Walker and Wife	\$1,500 00
Inside Labor	750 00
Outside Labor	812 61
Miscellaneous	715 64
Groceries	1,186 33
Meat	1,035 84
Grain	930 32
Oil and Gasoline	87 35
Clothing	280 86
Supplies	498 50
Telephone	46 18
Electricity	98 52
Blacksmith	32 05
Tobacco	238 68
Insurance	247 62

Drugs	32 48
Painting and Repairs	833 52
Machinery	140 00
Seed	86 35
Fertilizer	270 96
Medical Attendance	35 25
Veterinary	36 65
Coal	508 65

\$10,404 26

Deficit 1926 1,272 57

Total \$11,676 83

Balance in favor of the Association \$1,873 65

Received and Due for Inmates' Board

Charlton	\$634 27
Westminster	938 53
Rutland	312 83
Millbury	629 16
Brookfield	347 11
Ashburnham	608 54
Leicester	715 64
Oakham	312 83
Holden	312 83
Warren	1,939 00
Hardwick	625 70
West Boylston	708 84
Berlin	312 83
Sterling	304 26
Auburn	274 26
East Brookfield	62 57
West Brookfield	1,119 11

\$10,244 36

Total number of weeks for inmates 1,707 2-7 weeks.

The inventory of personal property taken Dec. 31, 1927 was \$6,701.67; farm and buildings \$12,500.00.

There were no inmates from Dana, Hubbardston, Paxton, Boylston, Princeton, New Braintree and Holland.

Respectfully submitted,

H. N. SHEPARD,
President.

LOUIS M. HANFF,
Secretary-Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have audited the bills of the officers of the Association who have received and expended money during the year ending Dec. 31, 1927 and all bills have been correct and checks signed by the President and Treasurer.

EDWARD A. LAMB,
Auditor.

Report of Trustees of Public Library

Your trustees submit herewith their annual report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1927.

The library has been open 228 days during the year.

The circulation for the year was 18,068, divided as follows: Fiction 12,228, Juvenile 4,635, Classified 709, and magazines 496.

275 books were purchased, of these 179 were fiction, 65 juvenile, 21 adult non-fiction, 10 juvenile non-fiction.

A legacy of \$1,000 has been received from the executors of the will of Jennie Mallalieu Thomson, to constitute a fund to be known as "The Orville E. Thomson Fund," the income to be used for the purchase of standard books of reference for the library.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. RICE,
ALBERT G. HURD,
ARTHUR W. SNOW,
Trustees of Town Library.

Report of Engineers of the Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The engineers appointed by your Honorable Board met and organized with William D. Horne, Chief; Joseph E. Army, First Assistant and Clerk; and Hervey C. Pierce, Second Assistant.

During the year No. 1 Company answered twenty-three (23) bell alarms, twelve (12) of these being false alarms and twenty-two (22) still alarms. No. 2 Company answered nineteen (19) bell alarms, seven (7) of these being false alarms and twenty-two (22) still alarms.

This is a record to be proud of with the exception of the false alarms, the companies having to answer nearly as many false calls, as calls for fire and the engineers ask the public to cease calling out the companies on false runs. If you only realized what it meant I think the number would be a great deal less, as a fireman's life is always in danger, and traffic is much heavier now which means danger for the public.

Our fire loss has been exceptionally small this year, due to the public being very cautious, and we wish to take this opportunity to thank one and all and hope the good work will continue.

We have three (3) new fire alarm boxes to be installed, one to be located near the B. & A. R. R. station as the people living in this section have a long run to sound an alarm, one to be located on Prospect Street on account of the number of new buildings being erected there, and one to be located on Grove Street near the Parochial School and sur-

rounding buildings. The secret of fighting a fire is to get there early before it gets a headway, and the only way to get there is to sound your alarm as soon as possible.

We do not want to boast, but we feel with the apparatus we now have and two companies of good men with a quick alarm we will be able to keep our fire loss very small.

We also have the East Millbury section contented with a new fire station and a group of good fire fighters.

Guard against fires due to dirty and defective chimneys as this is the worst fire hazard known. Have them cleaned, especially in the fall, as it will save you dollars and also the town. Do not allow rubbish to accumulate, and be sure you secure your fire permit before you start any fire in the open air.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM D. HORNE,
Chief.

JOSEPH E. ARMY,
First Assistant and Clerk.

HERVEY C. PIERCE,
Second Assistant.

Report of Board of Health

Millbury, Mass.
Jan. 14, 1928.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby present the annual report of the Board of Health for the year 1927:

Chicken Pox	18
Diphtheria	2
Opthamia Neonatorum	1
Measles	2
Mumps	3
Scarlet Fever	20
Typhoid Fever	2
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	3
Whooping Cough	10
Anterior Poliongelitis	4
Lobar Pneumonia	4
Influenza	2
Helum Tuberculosis	5

Land on Sycamore Street has been purchased by the Town of Millbury for a Public Dump. Users of this dump must comply strictly to the signs posted thereon.

Setting of fires at the dump is prohibited, and violators will be subject to prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER FERGUSON,
Clerk of the Board of Health.

Report of Moth and Tree Warden

December 29, 1927.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Millbury:

Report of the Gypsy and Browntail Moth Superintendent, Elm Beetle Superintendent and Tree Warden of the Town of Millbury.

Gypsy moths have increased one-half over last year. Elm beetles and browntail moths average about the same as last year. Trees on town roads are in a fair condition.

Satin moths have increased over last year.

EDWARD F. ROACH,
Local Superintendent and Tree Warden.

Appropriations

The Selectmen do respectfully recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year:

Board of Health, including salary	\$2,000 00
Care and Lighting of Clocks	185 00
Care of Fire Alarm	150 00
Care of Parks	225 00
Cemeteries and Interest on Perpetual Care Funds	2,000 00
Estimated Compensation Insurance	500 00
Elm Beetle	150 00
Election and Registration	960 00
Forest Fires	700 00
Fire Department	5,000 00
Finance Committee	5 00
Granolithic Sidewalks	2,000 00
Gypsy and Browntail Moths	750 00
Highways, including salary of Highway Surveyor, and Repairs to Bridges and Culverts and Fences	9,000 00
Snow Removal	2,000 00
Hydrant Service	4,710 00
Industrial School Tuition	3,000 00
Insurance	2,500 00
Interest on Town Debt	9,000 00
Law Department	400 00
Memorial Day	300 00
Oiling of Streets	4,000 00
Police Protection	5,000 00
Printing 1200 copies of Town Officers' Report	500 00
Soldiers' Aid	2,000 00
Street Lights	6,900 00
Moderator	25 00

Support of Poor, including salaries of Overseers	17,500 00
Schools, including Teachers' Salaries, Supervising, Janitors, Fuel, Supplies, Conveyances and Salary of School Committee	86,000 00
Services of Selectmen, including expenses	800 00
Services of Town Treasurer, including expenses	1,150 00
Services of Town Auditor, including expenses	1,000 00
Services of Assessors, including expenses	2,600 00
Services of Town Clerk, including expenses	350 00
Services of Sealer of Weights and Measures, including expenses	450 00
Services of Inspector of Animals, including expenses	100 00
Services of Tax Collector, 1 per cent of Amount collected, including bond	2,500 00
Services of Milk Inspector, including expenses	40 00
Town Library	2,500 00
Town Hall, including Janitor's salary	4,000 00
Town Debt	24,500 00
Tree Warden	500 00
Tax Titles, bought by Town	250 00
Tax Refunds	200 00
Vital Statistics	450 00
Repairing Permanent Roads	3,000 00

Town Warrant

Worcester, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Millbury, in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Millbury, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Millbury, on Monday the Sixth Day of February next, at Fifteen minutes of Six o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose three Selectmen for the term of one year; a Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Auditor, Moderator, six Constables, Tree Warden, Highway Surveyor, all for a term of one year; one Overseer of Poor for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, one Assessor for three years, one member of Board of Health for three years, one Trustee of Town Library for three years, one Commissioner of Cemeteries for three years, all to be voted for on one ballot.

Article 2. To choose all other necessary Town officers for the year ensuing.

Article 3. To hear the reports of the several Town officers and committees and act thereon.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the year ensuing, including sums for the lighting of streets, the

maintenance of the Town Library, the observance of Memorial Day, care and improvement of cemeteries, care of clocks, care of fire alarm, the use of the Tree Warden and for Town Aid to Needy Soldiers and their widows, salaries of Fire Department, or take any action thereon.

Article 5. To determine the time when all taxes shall be payable, and make regulations concerning the payment of the same.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current financial year.

Article 7. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to employ counsel in any suit that may be brought against the Town.

Article 8. To choose any committee or committees that may be thought necessary.

Article 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to publish a list of all uncollected taxes with the annual reports.

Article 10. To see what action the Town will take with regard to hiring one or more permanent policemen to patrol our streets in the night time and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action thereon.

Article 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Assessors to print the Valuation and Tax list and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 12. To see if the Town will authorize the payment of outstanding bills from the unexpended balance in the Treasury, or take any action thereon.

Article 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$350, to be paid the Millbury Society for District Nursing, or take any action thereon.

Article 14. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to care for Neglected Soldiers' graves, or take any action thereon.

Article 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for granolithic sidewalks, same to be located and built under the direction of the Selectmen, or take any action thereon.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to repair the Heating System in the rooms of the Fire Department, Town Clerk, and Selectmen, in the Town Hall Building; and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500 for the construction of a gravel sidewalk on the south side of Grafton-Worcester road, beginning at the intersection of Hasting's road and extending to the Worcester city line, or take any action thereon.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Committee to investigate the advisability of establishing a Town forest, or take any action thereon.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$685.09 for support and maintenance of the Worcester County Tuberculosis Hospital, as per County Warrant, or take any action thereon.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500, for the suppression of the liquor traffic, or take any action thereon.

Article 21. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to provide for extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures under the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 6, of the General Laws of Massachusetts, to be known as the reserve fund, or take any action thereon.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2841.00 for the purpose of financing all night lighting of electric street lights, or take any action thereon.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept the street known as Lindy Street as laid out by the Selectmen, a plan of which is herewith attached, a distance of 400 feet from Prospect Street, or take any action thereon.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to place a hydrant on Lindy Street about 400 feet from Prospect Street and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to construct the road known as Lindy Street, leading off Prospect Street, or take any action thereon, a distance of 400 feet by the four new houses recently erected.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install two electric lights; one at the corner of Prospect and Lindy Streets, and the other on Lindy Street, or take any action thereon.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install electric lights on the road leading from the Old Common to Auburn line, or take any action thereon.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install six electric lights on the road leading from the Four Corners, so-called, on the Auburn road, to the residence of Fred H. Rice, or take any action thereon.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install one electric light in front of the residence of John Marlborough, Gould Street, or take any action thereon.

Article 30. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to install two electric lights on Elmwood Street near the resident of Foster H. Bordeaux, or take any action thereon.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install twenty-one electric lights on the road leading from the residence of William H. Fairbanks to the residence of John J. Dolan, in West Millbury, or take any action thereon.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install one electric light between St. Bridget's Church and the old cemetery on Providence Street, or take any action thereon.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to replace the bridge on Auburn Road, damaged by the late flood, with a cement structure, raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to place an additional electric light on Park Hill Avenue near the property of C. W. Brackett, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to pay H. Arthur Sullivan \$3.75 for rent due for one individual, or take any action thereon.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a certain sum of money to build a granolithic curb and gutter on West Street from the curb and gutter that was built last year, and extend to the Felters Company, or take any action thereon.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to place a hydrant on Burbank Hill, near the property of Louis Aubochont, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to place three electric lights on Burbank Hill from a point near the residence of Michael Hanavan to the Sutton line, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 39. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300) to place cement walks at Dorothy Manor School, or take any action thereon.

Article 40. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) to cover that part of Millbury Avenue commencing at Triangle Corner and going as far as said appropriation will go toward Worcester line, with hot coal tar and crushed stone, or take any action thereon.

Article 41. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300) to be used for the improvement of Dorothy Road, or take any action thereon.

Article 42. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for regravelling the road from the Old Common toward Auburn line, or take any action thereon.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to widen the road on Grafton Street between the property of Ernest Johnson and Frank Kasputis, a distance of approximately three hundred feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to erect a wire fence on Riverlin Street along the water front of Buck Bros., pond, approximately 225 feet, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to erect a wire fence on West Main Street and West Millbury Road, approximately 300 feet along the water front of Brierly's pond, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to repair Wassau Street accepted by the town last year, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 47. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to employ a civil engineer, when in their judgment it is necessary, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to repair bridge on the road to Red Farm, off Riverlin Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to construct a new cement bridge over the Blackstone river on road to Central Cemetery, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 50. To see if the Town will contract with Harold D. Woodbury for the rental of one hydrant on Johnson Street, already existing, and another one to be placed as specified on Park Hill, at \$55 per year each.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to install six electric lights on Millbury Avenue, from near the residence of Kevin Cannon to Triangle Corner, so-called, or take any action thereon.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to place an electric light on Elmwood Street opposite the driveways of Fred Weidenmiller and Peter J. McManus, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to lower the driveway leading to property of Cosimo Majino, Main Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to place an electric light on Maple Street, about 100 feet from corner of South Main Street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to install a fire hydrant at Cross and Hawthorne Streets, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower its Treasurer to execute and deliver a quit claim deed to Henry Little of this Town, to ratify and confirm the execution and delivery of the deed from Adolphus L. Martin, et ali., as Overseers of the Poor of the Town of Millbury, to the said Henry Little, dated September 5, 1923, and recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds, Book 2301, page 363.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 to repair Greenwood Street from Worcester city line to Four Corners, or take action thereon.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to build a sidewalk on Martin Street from Main Street to the residence of John Tranter, or take any action thereon.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to place an electric light near the residence of Michael J. McManus on Martin Street, or take any action thereon.

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to place a hydrant near the residence of John Tranter on Martin Street, or take any action thereon.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to reconstruct Railroad Avenue from Millbury Avenue to Riverlin Street, and raise and appropriate \$1500 therefor, or take any action thereon.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to amend or change the reading of Article 2, Section 2, of the Town By-Laws, which reads: The Selectmen shall meet for the transaction of business of the Town on the first and third Wednesdays of each calendar month, and no order for the payment of any claim against the Town shall be drawn by them on the treasury except at such regular meeting or by adjournment thereof, a majority of the board being present and signing the same, and no orders shall be drawn by them on the treasury at the request of any other board of Town officers except for bills or claims due and duly presented at such meeting and approved by a majority of the board presenting the same, to read as follows: The Selectmen shall meet for the transaction of business of the Town on each and every Wednesday of the calendar month, and no order for the payment of any claim against the Town shall be drawn by them or an adjournment thereof, a majority of the board being present and signing the same, and no orders shall be drawn by them on the treasury at the request of any other board of Town officers except for bills or claims due and duly presented at such meeting and approved by a majority of the board presenting the same, or take any action thereon.

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to pay its Town help weekly, or take any action thereon.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to repair Park Hill Avenue from the site of the former St. Joseph's School toward the Worcester line, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action thereon.

The polls will be open at Six o'clock A. M., and may be closed at 4 o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up an attested copy thereof at each of the Post Offices and at the First Congregational Meeting House in Bramanville, in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place aforesaid.

Given under our hands this Nineteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

CHARLES H. HARRIS,
DANIEL J. DEMPSEY,
ARTHUR D. WINDLE,
Selectmen of Millbury.

Attest:

Constable of Millbury.

Millbury, Mass., January 19, 1928.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF MILLBURY



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31
1927

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School Directory, 1928

School Committee

THOMAS H. SULLIVAN, Chairman	Term Expires 1929
WALTER B. HORNE, Secretary	Term Expires 1930
DR. HENRY A. LECLAIRE	Term Expires 1928

Superintendent of Schools

CHAUNCEY C. FERGUSON

Tel. Millbury 20, or High School 170

Millbury—Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

In Oxford—Monday and Wednesday

Office Hours—2.30 P. M., Tuesday, Thursday, at High
School

7.00 P. M., Tuesday, Thursday, at High School.

School Physician

DR. ARTHUR A. BROWN, Tel. 144-11

School Nurse

MAY A. STAFFORD, R.N., Tel. 82-3, Millbury

Census Enumerator and Attendance Officer

H. ARTHUR SULLIVAN

TEACHERS

Senior and Junior High Schools

Ernest W. Pratt, Principal, Grades IX-XII,

Miles St., Millbury

Alice Donohue, Mathematics, 12 Beechmont St., Worcester

Stephen Beaton, French,	West St., Millbury
Margaret Dempsey, Commercial Work,	Main St., Millbury
Francis Doran, Science,	4 West Oberlin St., Worcester
Catherine Riordan, English,	369 Lake Ave., Worcester
Miriam Maxwell, Latin-Spanish	Prospect St., Millbury
John Ratigan, History,	10 Lucian St., Worcester
Saretta McCrea, English,	So. Main St., Millbury
Bridget Connor, 8A, Mathematics and Music,	Canal St., Millbury
Vera Murray, 8B, History,	Canal St., Millbury
Honora Kinniery, 8C, English and Music,	Providence St., Millbury
Ellen Leary, 7A, Civics and Drawing,	Waters St., Millbury
H. Grace Dolan, 7B, English and Penmanship,	No. Main St., Millbury
Helen Walsh, 7C, Geography and Hygiene,	Canal St., Millbury
Spencer E. Eaton, Manual Training,	20 Greylock Ave., Taunton
Rose Moosaian, Dressmaking,	127 Highland St., Worcester
Mary A. Sullivan, Physical Training,	4 Gage St., Worcester
Mary Bergin, Music	55 Fenwood Rd., Boston

Union Building

Ernest W. Pratt, Principal,	Miles St., Millbury
Rose Tully, Asst. Principal, Grade III,	11 Allen St., Worcester
Agnes Faron, Grade IV,	Rhodes St., Millbury
Alice K. Sweetser, Grade II,	Elm St., Millbury
Rosilda Lindsay, Grade I,	Grove St., Millbury

Burbank School

Alice Dolan, Principal, Grade VI,	No. Main St., Millbury
Ethel Army, Grade V,	Rhodes St., Millbury
Mary Watchorn, Grades III-IV,	Rhodes St., Millbury
Dorothy Murphy, Grades II-III,	Maple St., Millbury
Gladys Haynes, Grade I,	W. Main St., Millbury

Providence Street

William D. Shea, Principal, Grade VI,	13 Mars St., Worcester
Elizabeth Tobin, Grade V,	Waters St., Millbury
May Kelliher, Grades III-IV,	Waters St., Millbury
Margaret Leary, Grades I-II,	Waters St., Millbury

West Millbury

Sylvia Silvy, Grades IV-VI,	Grove St., Millbury
Elizabeth Zona, Grades I-III,	No. Main St., Millbury

East Millbury

Minnie Davidson, Grades V-VI,	Harrison St., Worcester
Ruth White, Grades III-IV,	Main St., Millbury
Margaret Burns, Principal, Grades I-II,	11 Dale St., Worcester

Dorothy Manor

Diana Hill, Principal, Grades V-VI,	Providence St., Millbury
Vietta Sterling, Grades III-IV,	W. Main St., Millbury
Mary Elizabeth Lawton, Grade II,	Waters St., Millbury
Adele Pickerstein, Grade I,	Massasoit Rd., Millbury

Evening School

William D. Shea, Principal,	13 Mars St., Worcester
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Supervisors

Manual Training and Drawing,	Spencer E. Eaton,
	20 Greylock Ave., Taunton
Dressmaking,	Rose Moosaian, 127 Highland St., Worcester
Music,	Mary Bergin, 55 Fenwood Rd., Boston
Physical Training,	Mary A. Sullivan, 4 Gage St., Worcester

Janitors

High and Union,
Burbank,
Providence Street,
West Millbury,
East Millbury,
Dorothy Manor,

John Burns
Otis Horne
Samuel Carr
Mrs. Stone
Harold Anderson
Warren Haywood

School Bus Drivers

West Millbury and Old Common,
East Millbury and Riverlin Street,
Greenwood Street and Auburn Road,

Antonio Paletta
Leo Budreau
Orphidas Allaire

School Calendar, 1928

Winter Term, January 3 to March 23,	12 Weeks
Spring Term, April 2 to June 22,	12 Weeks
Fall Term, September 4 to December 21,	16 Weeks

School Sessions

High and Junior High Schools—8.15 to 12 M.; 1 to 2.20
P. M.

Grades III-VI—8.45 to 12 M.; 1 to 3 P. M.

Grades I-II—8.45 to 11.15 A. M.; 1 to 3 P. M.

No School Signals

Fire Alarm Bell at 7.15 A. M. for dismissal for forenoon;
at 11 A. M. for dismissal afternoon session.

There will be no school on holidays and the day following
Thanksgiving.

Flag

Every school day is a flag day.

Report of School Committee

To the Citizens and Taxpayers of the Town of Millbury :

Your School Committee herewith submits its report for the past year. Included in the report are the reports of the Superintendent of Schools, the Principal of the High School, the Supervisor of Drawing and Manual Training, the Supervisor of Sewing, the Supervisor of Physical Training, the School Nurse, School Physician, etc.

It would be well to examine the report of the Superintendent as to crowded conditions existing at present in our school houses. The report of the Principal of the High School deals particularly with the unfavorable conditions that interfere with the work of the senior and junior high schools. As in the near future it appears that some action must be taken by the Town to furnish additional school rooms, your committee suggests that those interested in school affairs should carefully consider the reports herein submitted so that when the matter comes up for action they will be acquainted with them, and may also have an opportunity to investigate for themselves by visiting the school buildings and from other sources. The Superintendent of Schools has outlined a plan which may be feasible, though involving considerable expense; but the erection of new buildings in any event is going to involve expense, and the precise question for the voters to determine is what is best not only for the present, but also for the future of our school buildings and schools.

An examination of this report and of previous reports will show that the total appropriations for school purposes is constantly increasing, but we must take into consideration that the school population also is increasing and the cost

of living, labor, material and supplies has advanced rapidly within the last decade. The Superintendent has shown for your consideration the relative cost of maintaining schools in Millbury and in other towns similarly situated with about the same population and school attendance. This comparison results very favorably for Millbury as it shows that the cost per pupil is much less in Millbury than the average for the State (to wit, Millbury \$87.39, State average \$94.15), and it also shows that our neighboring towns are appropriating from \$3,000 to \$17,000 annually more than we are.

Another point that may be called to your attention is that nearly 60 per cent of the total amount appropriated is paid in salaries for teachers. Out of every \$87.39 appropriated, \$52.49 is paid for teachers; \$3.69 for the control of the school; janitors and fuel \$14.16, and other minor items \$13. There are 42 teachers at present employed in our schools. Of these, 30 are residents of Millbury. In addition to the salaries paid to local teachers, substantially all of the other expenses above enumerated are paid to residents of Millbury so that all, except a small percentage, of the entire appropriation is turned back to the pockets of Millbury residents.

The deposits in the savings bank by the school children deserves attention, but it seems somewhat singular that school children will continue to deposit until they reach the high school and then drop off very perceptibly in the number and amount of their savings. Parents of high school pupils may be able to give valuable assistance in this regard.

Our schools are in very good condition and notwithstanding the comparatively low cost, have been able to maintain the standard which from examination entitles them to certificates of entrance to higher institutions without examination.

Harmonious relations have existed between your committee and all who are assisting in the education of the school children of Millbury. The long experience and tactful management of the schools by the Superintendent deserves our approbation.

Many matters including statistics are contained in the reports herewith submitted, and it would be repetition on our part to go into detail as to many of them. For that reason we again urge your careful inspection of these reports.

Your committee desires to thank all who have assisted and shown interest in the welfare of the schools and requests the co-operation of all that our schools may continue along the successful lines of the past.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS H. SULLIVAN

WALTER B. HORNE

DR. HENRY A. LECLAIRE

School Committee.

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee:

I respectfully submit this, my sixteenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools, and the thirty-eighth in the series of such reports.

I also submit for your consideration the reports of the Principal of High School, the School Physician, the School Nurse, the Supervisor of Sewing, the Supervisor of Physical Training, the Music Supervisor and the Supervisor of Manual Training.

The High School

The High School had its largest enrollment in September, 227. This is 23 more than one year ago. We said then the school was crowded, that already we had been obliged to take over as classrooms the domestic science and drawing rooms, and this year it has been necessary to adapt the type-writing room to classroom purposes and to take over one of the eighth grade rooms as a home room for High School pupils.

In consequence of the congestion we are suffering the following serious inconveniences:

I. We have no drawing room for High School classes and are obliged to hold such classes in the auditorium, poorly suited and lighted for such a purpose.

II. What holds true of the drawing is equally true of our work in domestic science which also must be carried on in the auditorium. We are also prevented for the same reason from installing equipment for cooking and adding this generally taught department to our High and Junior High Schools.

III. We are obliged to have our Junior High School pupils seated in both the High and Union buildings and they thus suffer the inconvenience and hardship of passing back and forth between the buildings with the change of classes.

IV. We are also obliged to seat one section of the eighth grade in a basement room poorly heated, lighted and ventilated for regular classroom purposes.

V. We are obliged to have pupils of the fifth grade who formerly were assigned to the Union School go to Providence Street and to Burbank Schools. Next year the number going to Grade V, Providence Street will overcrowd that room and make some provision necessary for the overflow.

It will thus be seen that early forethought is now desirable if we are to prevent serious inconvenience to and interruption of the efficient work of the pupils who would naturally attend the High and Union Schools.

Various plans have been and may be suggested for providing increased housing. An ideal one, it seems to me, is presented by a prominent citizen greatly interested in securing proper and up-to-date school house facilities for our school children. Briefly stated the plan provides for the following alterations and construction:

1. The removal of Union School and the replacement of it with an addition to the High School as long as the present High School and separated from it by a hallway. Such an addition would possess the following advantages:

- (a) It would house under one roof all Senior and Junior High School pupils and also the elementary pupils of the Union School district in a thoroughly modern, up-to-date and attractive building.

- (b) A new heating plant would be installed to take the place of the inadequate High School plant and the one now used in the Union School, which soon must be replaced, if this building continues in use, as it has already been practically condemned by the boiler inspector.

- (c) It would obviate the necessity of expensive possible repairs on the Union School. The south wall of this build-

ing experts say is already bulging out and a severe jar or shock might cause this to fall.

(d) As it is sure the Union School could never be connected into one harmonious unit with the High School, the proposed plan would by the removal of the Union School make it possible to have a large school on the grounds that would be at once attractive to the eye and centrally located and such as any citizen might be proud of.

(e) Such a building would provide in addition to basements for lunch room, gymnasium, etc., at least twelve rooms making it thus possible for the High School to occupy the whole of the present building which it needs and for the new addition to seat the Junior High and present Union School pupils.

Your earnest consideration is called to the advantages this plan has to offer as a solution not only to present congestion, but to the economical use of the present grounds for the purpose of additional harmonious construction.

The High and Junior High Schools

We have been fortunate in retaining all but one of the seventeen teachers of the Junior and Senior High Schools during the past year. Mr. Edwin Higginbottom left to take a position as instructor in French at Worcester Polytechnic Institute. His place was taken by Mr. Stephen Beaton, a graduate of the local High School and Clark College. Four teachers are now employed to devote almost their entire time to English instruction, Misses McCrea and Riordan in the Senior High and Misses Kinniery and Dolan in Junior High. Mr. Ratigan and Miss Murray teach only History, Misses Donohue and Connor only Mathematics. Miss Dempsey commercial work, Mr. Pratt and Mr. Doran, Science, Miss Maxwell, Spanish and Latin. With this division of work into departments, these schools should be able to offer a splendid opportunity for instruction.

The High School continues to have many graduates doing

work in such higher institutions of learning as Brown University, Boston University, Dartmouth College, Clark College, Holy Cross, Providence College, Northeastern University, Massachusetts Agricultural College, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Worcester and Salem Normal Schools, Memorial, St. Vincent's and other nurse training schools, Massachusetts Nautical School, Worcester Boys' Trade School, Worcester Business Colleges, etc. A very large per cent of graduates continue their education elsewhere. The school aims to prepare the pupil for the college or other school to which he wishes to go provided it knows long enough ahead and provided the pupil has industry and ability enough to do the required work in a superior manner.

Improvement of Health Conditions

For a more detailed statement of the health work of the schools, I would refer to the reports of the school physician and the school nurse.

1. Report of State Board of Health Survey of 1926.

- (a) School instruction and course of study approved.
- (b) Work of school nurse generally approved.
 - (a) Provision should be made for more home visitation for follow-up work.
- (c) Work of School Physician.
 - (a) A fuller examination of every child including high school pupils each year.
 - (b) All children to be examined with the school nurse present and in some other room than one in which other pupils sit.
 - (c) No children to be sent to the office of school physician, but all emergency cases to be examined at the school by him.

- (d) A more thorough examination to be made of children between 14 and 16 years applying for work certificates.
- (e) Frequent visitation of schools having epidemics of contagious disease.
- (f) Increased pay for school physician for this increased work.

The school physician and school nurse will co-operate so far as possible to carry out these recommendations.

II. *State Clinic.*

(a) Clinic for underweight children in April.

Doctors and nurses from the State Board of Health at the invitation of the local school department examined all children 10 per cent underweight whose parents would consent to this. The purpose was to find what children, if any, had tendencies toward tuberculosis. One hundred seventy-seven were examined and 61 responded positively to the tuberculin test. Of these 59 were X-rayed and five were found with Hilum Tuberculosis, 14 were classified as suspects, 34 as having diseased or enlarged tonsils, 89 as needing dental work and 38 with malnutrition.

(b) State Clinic in October.

This clinic was for all children whose parents approved who were not examined in April. This group included for the most part those normal in weight. The purpose was the same as of the clinic in the spring. Two hundred thirty-seven were examined by the several doctors and nurses. Sixty-seven reacted positively to the tuberculin test. These were X-rayed and 16 were classified as suspects, 76 children were found with enlarged or diseased tonsils, 173 needing dental work, 28 as cases of malnutrition. About 50 per cent were found poor in posture.

Some Results of These Clinics

(1) Parents had the opportunity to have their children examined by expert physicians and to receive advice from them as to their care without expense to themselves or to the town.

(2) Ten of these children through the influence of Mrs. F. W. Hooper, President of the District Nursing Society were sent to health camps during the summer.

(3) The school nurse and the teachers became more intelligently interested in following up sympathetically the suspected cases.

(4) More attention will be given to corrective work for bad teeth, malnutrition, diseased and enlarged tonsils, and bad posture.

Much credit for the success of these clinics is due to Miss Stafford, the school nurse, who was indefatigable in her work in securing the consents of the parents and the family histories of each child examined. This often entailed the making of more than one visit to the home of the parent.

III. The State Clinic among other things showed that about 50 per cent of the children examined had bad posture. Miss Helen Walsh, Junior High instructor in Hygiene took a schematograph of each of the 164 pupils in the Junior High School. These pictures showed:

- 84 children had bad posture,
- 60 children had fair posture,
- 20 children had good posture.

The results seem to corroborate those obtained from the State Clinic, namely that about 50 per cent of the pupils have poor posture.

For the rest of the year, the Supervisor of Physical Training will devote especial attention to corrective work for these children and to determining the cause of such a large per cent of our children having bad posture.

IV. One talk has been given by an expert to the grade teachers on ways in which they can correlate health work with their regular school work.

REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS

I. *High School*

(a) Typewriting desks with drop lids have been placed in the High School to replace the tables previously used. We are thus able to use the room having these for other classes besides typewriting and so have an additional room for recitation purposes for five periods a day.

(b) The program clock installed for the High and Union Schools late in 1926 has been put in operation.

II. *East Millbury*

(a) The bubblers have been so connected that they now receive their water directly from the well instead of from the pressure tank, as previously. This provides cooler and better tasting water for the children.

(b) A portion of the ground at the rear of the school has been cleared of rocks and stumps and graded.

III. *Providence Street*

(a) An electric gong has been installed. Now all schools are so provided except West Millbury.

IV. *Union Building*

(a) The embankment wall of the rear of this school has been replaced under the direction of the selectmen at an expense of about \$1500.

(b) The ventilation of the toilets has been improved.

V. *Requirements for 1928*

1. New fence for grounds at East Millbury (compulsory).
2. New ceilings and redecoration at Providence Street.
3. Shower bath equipment at High School.

4. Fire door and fire screen in the basement and on the first floor of Union School. (Required by State Inspector.)
5. Gas piping for High School laboratory.

General School Improvement

I. Several meetings have been held during the year for all or part of the teachers, addressed by experts in Reading, English, Hygiene, Thrift and by the Superintendent of Schools.

II. Departmental work which was already in practice in the High, Junior High and grades five and six Providence Street was extended to grades five and six Burbank.

III. A schematograph has been secured from the State Department of Health for securing posture pictures of the pupils of the Junior High School by Miss Helen Walsh, teacher of hygiene. The purpose was to determine what pupils had bad posture and let these pupils see wherein their posture was bad and then to have means suggested for correction by the physical training instructor.

IV. A very large percentage of the Junior High School pupils have secured the various Palmer Penmanship awards through the direction of Miss Helen Grace Dolan, instructor in penmanship.

V. A Monroe Calculating Machine has been added to the equipment of the Commercial Department of the High School. As most of the larger business and industrial plant offices in town were already equipped with this, it seemed desirable for our commercial students to have the opportunity to become familiar with it while still in school.

VI. An additional room has been opened up at Dorothy Manor to provide for the increase in pupils there and a teacher employed. Now all rooms in this building are occupied with a total membership of 109 pupils.

VII. Spelling contests have been held during the year. The first was for pupils of the seventh and eighth grades in

which the following towns competed: Auburn, Sutton, Grafton, Upton, Holden, Douglas, Shrewsbury, Oxford, Uxbridge and Millbury. The contest was held in Millbury and medals were awarded the winners by the Worcester Telegram. Later in the year contests were held in which all pupils from grades five to eight competed. Prizes were given by W. W. Windle to the following winners from each building and to those in the Junior High School.

1. Providence Street, Alice Johnson.
2. Burbank School, Jennie Paplawsky.
3. Dorothy Manor School, Rose Gallio.
4. East Millbury, John Cunniff.
5. West Millbury, Everett Glover.
6. Grade VII, Eva Nash.
7. Grade VIII, Edith Johnson.

VIII. Standard tests in arithmetic have been given to the pupils of grades five, six and seven, achievement tests to pupils of grades six, seven and eight and the compositions of grades seven, eight and nine have been checked by a standard composition scale. The results of these tests showed our pupils doing at least standard work. The achievement tests were given also to help in the division of the Junior High School pupils in each grade according to ability into A, B, and C groups.

IX. An evening school has been conducted for three evenings a week at Providence Street School by Principal William D. Shea. Between twenty and thirty pupils have been in attendance.

RELATIVE COST OF OUR SCHOOLS

In these days of mounting costs of education, people naturally wish to know something about the relative cost of their schools compared with those of other communities. Fortunately the figures for the State for the year ending July 1, 1927 are available:

Per Pupil Cost

Items	Millbury	Massachusetts
Control	\$3.69	\$3.53
Teachers	52.49	65.27
Books and Supplies	4.93	4.57
Janitors, Fuel and Miscellaneous	14.16	11.22
Repairs	4.78	5.05
Health	1.18	1.33
Transportation	6.04	2.37
Tuition .....	.12	.81
Totals	\$87.39	\$94.15

Cost of schools in three neighboring towns of about the same location as regards Worcester and of about the same population and valuation as Millbury.

Costs 1926-1927 (State Year)

Millbury	Auburn	Grafton	Shrewsbury
\$82,235.15	\$85,312.80	\$95,649.04	\$98,636.33

Auburn and Grafton have less valuation than Millbury, but Shrewsbury more. The three for 1927 appropriated, Auburn over \$90,000, Grafton over \$97,000 and Shrewsbury over \$115,000 for schools as compared with \$82,100 for Millbury. Of these Auburn supports no High School.

Itemized Expenditures of the Four Towns

Items	Millbury	Auburn	Grafton	Shrewsbury
Control	3,473.10	2,715.01	4,333.56	5,276.12
Teachers	49,399.50	*31,914.96	56,089.63	61,463.72
Books	1,946.19	*3,111.31	2,320.57	2,813.15
Supplies	2,641.26	*2,146.10	3,253.72	2,190.25
Janitors, Fuel, Mis.	13,320.72	*7,866.76	12,664.24	14,033.81
Repairs	4,493.13	*2,240.26	4,435.18	5,147.66
Library	50.00	0.00	4.00	0.00
Health	1,114.52	1,752.01	1,319.28	1,760.00

Transportation ...	5,685.45	6,387.75	8,880.34	5,716.92
Tuition	110.36	*26,394.00	0.00	0.00
Miscellaneous	0.00	784.64	2,348.02	234.70
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Totals	\$82,235.00	\$85,312.80	\$95,649.04	\$98,636.33

* Auburn pays for no High School teachers, janitors, repairs, books or supplies.

* Auburn pays tuition for High School pupils in Worcester.

Acknowledgments

We are under obligation to the following for gifts or benefits received during 1927 to promote interest in the schools.

I. To Dr. A. G. Hurd for his prize of \$5.00 for the best essay on a health topic by a pupil of the Senior Class of the High School. The winner was Louise Fladd.

II. To Dr. A. L. V. Sharron for his prize of \$5.00 for the best essay written by a pupil of the 8th grade on "The Care of Teeth." This was awarded Olga Gwozdowski.

III. To William W. Windle for his prizes given to the best spellers respectively in the different schools having fifth and sixth grades, and in the Junior High School.

IV. To Mr. and Mrs. Julius Heck for shrubbery given and set out for the Dorothy Manor School.

V. To Millbury Savings Bank for its helpful co-operation in making our school savings system successful.

VI. To Millbury District Nursing Society for making possible a dental clinic for school children and also for making possible the distribution of pasteurized milk to all school children desiring it.

VII. To Mrs. F. W. Hooper for her influence in making it possible for us to send ten children to the Sterling Health Camp last summer.

VIII. To the Woman's Club for its promotion of the story hour at the public library for school children.

School Savings

The eighth annual report of the American Bankers' Association again places our High and other schools on its honor roll for high percentage of those depositing regularly. According to this report in which Millbury and Oxford are considered together, 90 per cent of the 1829 pupils regularly deposited. Their deposits amounted to \$11,763 and they received \$1,068 interest on their total deposits. The total deposits amounted on June 30th to \$18,173. The average gross collection per depositor was \$6.43. The following schools have 100 per cent depositing: Providence Street, Burbank, Dorothy Manor, East Millbury and Junior High, the Union and West Millbury over 90 per cent and the High School over 70 per cent.

The 1927 figures for Millbury are as follows:

Balance December, 1926	\$9,547 49
Deposits December, 1926 to December,	
1927	\$7,984 69
Interest	254 67
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Total deposits and interest	\$8,239 36
Withdrawals	6,016 28
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Net increase in deposits	\$2,223 08
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Total	\$11,770 57

Total deposits for December 1, 1927, were \$11,770.57 or a little over \$11 per pupil of the present enrollment. The deposits for the year 1926 to 1927 alone amounted to over \$8.00 per pupil of the total enrollment.

Receipts and Expenditures 1927

Receipts:

Appropriation

	\$82,100 00
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Expenditures:

School Costs

	\$82,017 74
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Balance	\$82 36
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Of this expenditure of \$82,017.74 the State reimbursed the town \$7,042.92 making the actual cost of the schools to the town \$74,944.82. Next year owing to the addition of teachers, increased transportation, etc., the amount required will be \$86,000 or \$3,900 more than was asked for in 1927.

I wish to express my deep appreciation of the splendid co-operation and support that have been given me by your committee and by the teachers. If the schools have failed in the performance of their duties or in the maintenance of a proper standard of efficiency the Superintendent of Schools should be held largely responsible.

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. FERGUSON,
Superintendent of Schools.

High School Principal's Report

Mr. C. C. Ferguson,
Superintendent of Schools,
Millbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor of submitting my sixth annual report as Principal of the Millbury High School.

The school opened this fall with an enrollment of two hundred and twenty-seven students. This enrollment is twenty-three larger than has ever been obtained before, and is grouped as follows: Two Post Graduates, forty-one Seniors, thirty-one Juniors, sixty-seven Sophomores, and eighty-six Freshmen.

The High School has at present graduates entered in the following Colleges, Normal Schools, and other institutions of higher learning:

Worcester Polytechnic Institute, 2; Massachusetts Agricultural College, 1; Northeastern University, 1; Harvard University, 1; Magill University, 1; Post's Business Institute, 2; Becker's Business College, 2; Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, 1; Nurses' Training Schools, 5; Clark College, 2; Boston University, 2; Brown University, 3; Providence College, 2; Dartmouth College, 1; Holy Cross, 1; Tufts College, 1; Worcester Normal, 4; Salem Normal, 1.

The certificate privilege of the New England College Certificate Board has one more year to run, also the same privilege to the Worcester Polytechnic Institute as well as the individual privileges of several colleges and universities. The school has again been awarded the State Department of Education's Certificate to Normal Schools, which entitles students of high rank and natural capabilities to enter without examination.

The school is a member of the Southern Worcester County High School League which sponsors all athletic activities of this section upon a uniform basis. During the past year a league has also been formed for the benefit of high school girls which I feel will be an incentive to this phase of outside activity, up to this time rather lacking in this part of the county.

The following students received prizes and awards for excellence in various lines of endeavor. American History—Miss Louise Fladd. Mathematics—Raymond Ruddy, Commercial Work—Miss Lumina Vielle and Miss Marguerite Miller. The Health Essay prize so generously awarded each year by Dr. A. G. Hurd, was adjudged to Miss Louise Fladd. In a nation-wide Essay Contest conducted by the National Republic Magazine of Washington, D. C., on the United States Constitution, Miss Lumina Vielle of the Senior Class was awarded first prize for all High Schools of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Again I wish to call to your attention and that of the School Committee to the seriously crowded condition under which the school is obliged to work. This fall we were forced to take over one of the Junior High rooms for part of each day. The same condition will exist in the future, in fact, grow worse as the school population of the town keeps increasing. Another factor which adds to our overcrowding is the present dull period in the industrial life of the town. When industry is working to capacity, some of the boys and girls between the ages of fourteen and sixteen obtain permits to go to work, but when there is no work they are obliged by law to remain in school until the age of sixteen.

The High School to be placed on an efficient working basis ought to have four of the rooms in the building now used by the Junior High School for the following reasons:

(1) There are fifty-eight students taking drawing and eighty-seven taking sewing under a very great handicap, as there is no room for work, desks, or material except to move

the seats in and out of the Assembly Hall twice a day.

(2) One of the rooms should be used for a Domestic Science Department. This room would be available for a lunch room during the noon hour. At present we have two hundred and thirty-three from the High School and Union Buildings who bring their lunches. These pupils have no place to eat except the gymnasium, boiler-room, and cloak-rooms, all of which are not suitable eating places.

(3) Two rooms ought to be used as class-rooms for the High School. Every teacher has to conduct classes with the rear of the room filled to capacity every period with study pupils. This impairs the efficiency of classes conducting recitations and distracts students who are preparing assignments.

The school is so congested that it is impossible to arrange the divisions of various classes so that students can be grouped according to ability.

Those who are preparing for colleges and other higher institutions of learning are obliged to meet the requirements, while the slower and more backward pupils, who never will go beyond the High School, cannot keep up, become discouraged, fail and eventually have to repeat or drop out. Under this condition it is impossible for the faculty to meet effectively the needs of all types of students.

The Physical Education Department would be greatly aided if the two shower baths, which were partially finished when the building was erected, could be completed. The Science Department could accomplish and do more valuable work if a system of gas was installed for laboratory purposes. Various other departments of the school need new equipment of a minor degree and cost, as some now in use has become antiquated, worn out, and insufficient due to the 30 per cent increase in enrollment of the past three years.

Parents of pupils who have completed the last year of the Junior High and are intending to enter the High School should give considerable thought to the selection of the

course of study which their children are to pursue. The College, College Technical, General and Commercial courses are all based on a four-year program. Many elect a course which they are unqualified to pursue. As a result, they are obliged to change after a year or two with a resultant waste of valuable time and ultimately finish the four years only partially prepared for their future work or study. Officials of both the Junior and Senior High School will gladly advise and recommend students and parents as to the course best adapted for pursuit.

Another phase of school life that I wish to call to the attention of parents is the regularity of attendance and the continued preparations of lessons at home. In a regular school day of the Junior and Senior High School it is impossible to prepare all subjects in school hours. It is very clearly and forcibly demonstrated from year to year that students who are either irregular in attendance or neglect to do home study are very low in their classes or constitute a large proportion of the so-called failures.

The school banking and saving system has practically 100 per cent membership until the High School groups are reached. After entering the Senior High School, the membership drops to an average of about 50 per cent. I wish to call attention to the opportunity such a saving system would afford High School students. All who are graduated are called upon for heavy expenditures at commencement time, and many need funds directly after leaving. A few cents saved each week will amount to quite a sum at the end of four years. This saving, if practiced by students, would cover their graduation expenses which many families can ill afford to meet.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to all who have given their assistance and co-operation for the past school year.

Very truly yours,

ERNEST W. PRATT.

GRADUATION EXERCISES—1927

School March	Graduating Class
Invocation	Rev. Wilfred A. Tisdell
"Pilgrim's Chorus"—Girls' Chorus	<i>Wagner</i>
Essay—"Sun-Yat-Sen and the Chinese Revolution"	Catherine V. Haggerty
Essay—"The Position of Women Through the Ages"	Juanita C. Brown
"Calm is the Night"	<i>Bohm</i>
"Beauteous Night, O Night of Love"—Girls' Chorus	<i>Offenbach</i>
Essay—"Nicaragua"	Lumina E. Vielle
"Poet and Peasant"—Orchestra	<i>Suppe</i>
Essay—"Beethoven"	Bessie H. Harris
"Song at Sunrise"—Girls' Chorus	<i>Nanney</i>

GRADUATES

College Preparatory Course

**Bessie Harding Harris	Raymond Francis Ruddy
Arthur Raymond Higginbottom	Edwin Theron White

College Technical Course

Kingdon Witherby White

General Course

Robert Emmet Braney	*Catherine Veronica Haggerty
Lousia Florence Bowen	Clifton Burton Harrison
*Juanita Clarisse Brown	Carl Hermon Molt
John Francis Connor	*Leah Mary Stone

Commercial Course

Florence Alice Fales	Jennie Rita Zona
Louise Mary Flad	Alice Irene Mogren
Curtis Safford Greenwood	Rena Emily Sharron
Gertrude Marianne Higginbottom	Onell John Smith
Ruth Carolina Johnson	*Lumina Ellen Vielle
Eliza Lillian Kunzinger	Gladys Linnea Voss
Phyllis Robertson Magill	Harriet Whitworth

*Marguerite Matilda Josephine Miller

* Honors

**Highest Honors

GRADUATION—JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
PROGRAM, JUNE, 1927.

Hymn—"The Heavens Resounding"	School
Essay—"The Relation of Pure Milk to Good Health"	Bernice Johnson
Song—"On a Moonlit Sea"	School
Essay—"The Reconstruction Period"	Leona Buxton
Song—"The Mariner's Song"	School
Essay—"The Care of the Teeth"	Olga Gwozdowska
Song—"In the Time of Roses"	School

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Edna Alsten	John Haggerty
Gertrude Broberg	George Lisk
Leona Buxton	Clarence Pierce
Gertrude Gloyer	Lawrence Pierce
Edna Graves	Eli Vayo
Elizabeth Grogan	William Dulmaine
Olga Gwozdowska	Wilfred Rawson
Marjorie Hamilton	Arthur Watchorn
Mary Heslinga	David Watkins
Evelyn Horne	Gladys Beeso
Edith Johnson	Clara Bleau
Mary Little	Mary Brown
Mildred Rogers	Rachel Carlson
Marion Scott	Ida Davidson
Alice Sparrow	Mary Frazier
Jennie Stewart	Dorothy Higginson
Blanche Taylor	Bernice Johnson
Janet Weyer	Mary Lucaszek
Anna Zuidema	Bernice Malloy
Theresa Turpin	Helena Mann
Walter Anderson	Marjorie Morash
Everett Adams	Anna Zykowski
John Bennett	Eva Pepin
Winfred Eilert	Dorothy Reavey

Paul Adamonis
Anthony Army
Charles Army
Conrad Carlson
Emile Dumas
George Dumas
John Howard
Alton Maynard
Raymond Roach
Chester Shaw
Richard Wilkinson
James Stewart
Harry Taft
Leon Woodward
Valma Dusseault
Roger Army
Margaret Balmer
Signe Berg
Rose Blanchard
Mildred Brunell

Arthur Dunn
Florence Erickson
Charles Forrest
Rose Gagliardi
Alice Gilbert
Elizabeth Heck
Charles Hill
Francis Hill
Paul Johnson
Catherine Labreck
Arthur Lebel
Florence Lee
Gertrude McLaughlin
William Modig
John Molis
Ellsworth Moore
Fred Phaneuf
Lester Smith
Thomas Smith
Myrtice Wissell

Report of the Music Supervisor

Mr. C. C. Ferguson,
Superintendent of Schools,
Millbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

To give a detailed report of the work in music in the early and intermediate grades, seems unnecessary, as the general outline is practically the same as that of last year, but in passing I wish to mention the commendable work on the part of the teachers in those grades who have so strictly conformed to the prescribed course of study. The results are being manifested in the most interesting and gratifying manner in the Junior High School.

There being no new study problems in music at this point in the advanced grades, the pupils here are deriving a great deal of pleasure in the use of the "Junior Music," a book introduced this year. Various vocal conditions arise from changing voices which necessarily demand attention, and this problem is very satisfactorily met through the selection of beautiful songs found in "Junior Music" collection. The pupils can sing them, and enjoy them, and to those who have completed all tune, time and theory required, feel they have a rightful possession to such.

One of the chief objects of education is to make good and responsible citizens, and if this means the equal development of the intellect and emotions, it is a patent fact that music is a great means toward that end, for it has been demonstrated to be most effective in training young people to be intelligent, industrious, useful and happy members of the community. It also provides a marvelous outlet for those finer emotions which make us human. It is the lan-

guage for expressing those emotions, and this is the reason why music in the schools is equal in value to other studies, and perhaps even more effective, in cultivating the qualities of a good citizen.

No attempt has been made to measure its importance in the social world and from an ethical standpoint only terms in the superlative degree expresses its value.

With these ideals as our standard, every possible effort on the part of those concerned has been made to make this department a success.

In closing, I wish to thank for the sixteenth time, the teachers for their unlimited and helpful co-operation and also the members of the School Committee and Superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY T. BERGIN.

Report of Supervisor of Drawing and Manual Training

December 22, 1927.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I have the pleasure of submitting my second report as Supervisor of Drawing and Manual Training in Millbury.

Four days a week are spent in the schools—Tuesdays and Friday in drawing and Wednesdays and Thursdays in manual training.

The courses in drawing in the first six grades are very much similar to those of last year with Christmas tree and lamp decoration as a special feature for the holidays this year. A picture study course has been prepared and will be put in operation early in February. The aim of this course is to acquaint the children with the famous pictures in their natural colors, the artists who painted them, the countries where they were produced, and the incentive which brought the paintings into being.

In the Junior High School the course has been somewhat changed from last year in order to include the craft processes which are so valuable in every-day life. The designing of simple linoleum blocks for Christmas cards has already been taken up and will be continued with Easter cards. Other similar processes will be attempted later in the year.

The High School freehand drawing course has been changed with a very definite idea in mind, namely the practical application of design and color to every-day articles of use—lamp shades, pocket books, scarfs, afternoon tea sets, handkerchiefs, and the like. Interior decoration will be taken up with its relation to modern tendencies in building and furniture.

With the high school drawing classes almost twice as large as last year, making individual assistance very difficult and also making it necessary for some students to have their second period of drawing on Wednesdays when I am at the same time holding a class in manual training in another part of the building, the lack of a suitable room, cabinet space, and bulletin board, as spoken of in last year's report, is this year a very severe hindrance.

The manual training room is entirely lacking in heating facilities as it rarely ever reaches a temperature above fifty-eight except in the summer months and frequently is much below this temperature.

In mechanical drawing the first year work includes the proper care and use of the instruments, use of the standard style of lettering, dimensioning of drawings, and the drawing of simple machine parts. The second year students study more difficult pieces of machinery, screw threads, isometric figures, and the inking of drawings. The third year pupils study the processes of cams and paths of motion which leads directly into the finer types of machinery. Seniors are allowed to choose between machine and architectural drawing, making drawings from personally made sketches, and other problems requiring outside study and preparation.

The manual training classes in the Junior High School receive work which trains them to think before acting, to use the tools correctly, accurately and efficiently, and to plan and carry these plans to successful completion.

In the seventh grade the use, care, and names of the more common bench tools, the accurate squaring up of stock to a given dimension, the reading of working drawings, the recognition of a few woods, the uses of paints, varnishes, stain, and wax, and the application of this knowledge to simple, useful, and interesting objects is taught. The eighth grade work consists of a short review of the previous year's work, the study of joinery, its application to small articles of furniture, and the repairing and making of articles of furniture.

An exhibition of drawing and manual training was held last June and considerable interest was taken in it by both the pupils and the parents.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the teachers and the Superintendent for their hearty co-operation and interest.

Respectfully submitted,

SPENCER E. EATON.

Report of Supervisor of Physical Training

Mr. C. C. Ferguson,
Superintendent of Schools,

Millbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my first annual report as Supervisor of Physical Education in the Millbury schools.

In grades one and two, story plays, which develop the imagination and introduce rhythm and co-ordination are used. The simplest forms of formal gymnastics are stressed in grades three and four. The work of grades five and six embodies the more advanced forms of exercises, games and mimetics. Junior and Senior High School work consists of gymnastics, drills and sports.

For the High School girls, basketball practice is held Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Millbury High has membership in the Worcester County Girls' Basketball League and we hope to enjoy and win many games this season.

Posture is the biggest problem of the Physical Training Department at the present time. The results of a recent examination of the school children showed that many are suffering from curvatures, round shoulders, foot deformities and many other defects which can either be remedied or checked by corrective exercises.

As education becomes more healthful and as social conditions improve it is hoped that the number of cases mentioned above will be greatly decreased. During the ensuing year every child whose posture has been pronounced faulty

will be given special attention both individually and collectively and every effort will be made to make the children of Millbury a credit to their schools and an asset to society.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Superintendent for his encouragement, the teachers for their co-operation and the committee for its support.

Respectfully,

MARY A. SULLIVAN.

Report of Supervisor of Sewing

Mr. C. C. Ferguson,
Superintendent of Schools,
Millbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

I herewith present my annual report as Supervisor of Sewing in the Millbury schools.

The course of instruction in Home Economics for the year has been practically the same as described in previous report. The lessons are first planned with the study of the basic stitches, later applied to articles and garments suitable for Elementary and High School courses. In addition the girls are taught all the ornamental stitches and fine lace needle work which trains them to use the needle and thread efficiently.

Home Economics deals with the activities that are centered around the home life of the girl. It establishes a closer relationship between the home and school. It insures the formation of good habits with relation to clothing, and trains the girl for a work which she may do for the longest period of her life.

Last June an exhibition of the work accomplished by the girls during the year was held in the school. The girls showed an excellent spirit of enthusiasm toward the work.

I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation and thanks to teachers and superintendent for their generous support and interest.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE MOOSAIAH.

Report of the School Nurse

Mr. C. C. Ferguson,
Superintendent of Schools,
Millbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

I hereby submit my report as School Nurse in the Millbury Public Schools.

Three days a week, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, are spent in Millbury.

The health work of the year consisted of classroom visits, home visits, clinic work and assisting the School Physician with the physical examinations.

When the classroom is visited the children are given talks on good health habits, as to proper foods, the importance of plenty of sleep and rest, fresh air and sunshine. Hands and nails are inspected, all heads examined, and all children are weighed and measured. Cuts and sores given special attention.

Home visits are made to explain to the parents the necessity for the correction of defects such as enlarged tonsils and adenoids, defective vision and teeth, and the extra care for underweight children.

Through the generosity of the Millbury Society for District Nursing we are starting the fourth year of the Dental Clinic every Thursday from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

The children are selected for the clinic from all grades including all schools except the High School. The work consists of prophylaxis, extraction of deciduous and abscessed teeth, temporary and permanent fillings, toothaches are also treated. We encourage early visits to save the six-year molars that mean so much in later life. Improvement has

been shown in the condition of the teeth in every school. Charts have been placed in all the rooms to stimulate the interest in Oral Hygiene.

Five children were taken to the Memorial Hospital Clinic, two had poor vision and three enlarged tonsils and adenoids. These defects were corrected. One of these boys whose hearing was poor and who had to be absent from school very often with earache and sore throat due to his tonsils is very much better and has gained six pounds since his operation.

The State Department of Public Health held two clinics during the year, the reason for these clinics were for the early detection of Hilum Tuberculosis.

The first clinic held, April 25th, was for children 10 per cent or more underweight. At this time one hundred and seventy-seven were examined. This included forty-two parochial school children and one pre-school. The second clinic was held October 20th and 21st. Two hundred and thirty-seven children were examined, thirty-five of this number were from the parochial school. All of these children were given a careful examination. A Von Pirquet test was given, and all who reacted to this were x-rayed.

These children will be watched carefully, weighed every month, and parents will be urged to have physical defects and faulty health habits corrected so that each child will be free to gain. The examinations were not compulsory, and only children whose parents gave their consent were examined. To get these signed consents about three hundred home visits were made. This required much time and travel, but I consider it well spent. Home visits bring you in closer contact with each child. The value of these visits cannot be overestimated.

In August we were allowed to send ten girls to the Sterling Health Camp for two weeks. This was made possible by the generosity of the townspeople who bought Xmas Seals, and to the personal interest of Mrs. F. W. Hooper. These girls were selected from the group of children who

were examined at the State Clinic. A close check up of these girls will be made to see that they continue the health habits taught them at camp.

I am pleased with the rapid gain in weight of many of the children. Milk is being sold in four schools, Union, Providence Street, Burbank, and Dorothy Manor. Every child is urged to buy the milk at three cents a bottle or to bring it from home for lunch. There are a few children who get free milk because they are underweight, and because they cannot buy it.

No serious epidemics occurred during the year. We ask the co-operation of the parents to help us prevent epidemics by keeping their children at home if they are sick, or have been exposed to any contagious disease.

Pediculosis is on the decrease, and we have several rooms where every child is 100 per cent in personal cleanliness.

In closing I wish to thank you, Mr. Ferguson, and the teachers, who have assisted me in the health work.

Respectfully submitted,

MAY A. STAFFORD, R.N.

Report of School Physician

Mr. C. C. Ferguson,
Superintendent of Schools,
Millbury, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:—

During 1927 health conditions in the Public Schools have been very satisfactory, and there was no outbreak of any of the communicable diseases. During the spring months there was an undue number of cases of scarlet fever in the town, but the schools were not concerned in their causation.

The regular routine examination of the pupils is being done, and the primary grades were examined in 1927. The pupils in the Junior High and High Schools will be examined in the near future.

As in past examinations, malnutrition, carious teeth and enlarged or hypertrophied tonsils and adenoids have been the predominating defects noticed. The School Nurse and Dentist are giving much time and effort in caring for teeth. The School Nurse, in co-operation with the teachers, is doing excellent work in the cases of malnutrition by frequent checking of weights and lunches and milk at recess. Hypertrophied, in some cases, diseased tonsils are still numerous among the children, and it is planned to give special attention to this condition during the coming year.

In the past year, two clinics for school children were given by the State Department of Public Health. Any child of the Public or Parochial Schools was eligible for the clinic, providing a consent for the examination was signed by the parent. The object of these clinics primarily was the detection of early tuberculosis, but incidentally a general examination was given and other defects noted. Special

stress was given to cases of malnutrition, and dietitians were present to instruct mothers in choice of foods to combat this condition.

The results of the examination held in April were: one hundred thirty-five pupils were examined and given the tuberculin test; thirty-nine reacted positively to the tuberculin test; thirty-nine were x-rayed, and of these three were found to have hilum tuberculosis, and nine were classed as suspects.

The results of the examination held in October were: two hundred one were examined and given the tuberculin test; forty-nine reacted positively to the tuberculin test; fifty-one were x-rayed, and of these none were found to be positively tuberculous, and fourteen were classed as suspects.

It might be stated here that because a child reacts positively to the tuberculin test it does not necessarily signify that the child has active tuberculosis or the disease tuberculosis, but it does signify that the child has or has had an infection caused by the tubercle bacillus, and other conditions being considered, the older the child the less the significance as to presence of active tuberculosis.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR A. BROWN, M.D.

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS, 1926-1927

	Grade	Ave. Daily Attend.	Total Membership	Average Membership	P. C. of Attend.
High	9-12	181.04	204	190.	95.3
Junior High	7-8	151.70	183	158.92	95.4
Burbank	1	18.29	20	19.47	93.9
	2	17.87	22	18.67	95.7
	3	29.63	37	30.40	94.1
	4-5	34.26	43	35.59	96.3
	6	29.06	35	30.04	96.7
Providence St. ...	1-2	28.16	41	31.22	90.2
	3-4	29.80	34	31.49	94.6
	5	36.41	37	37.91	96.
	6	34.39	39	35.55	96.7
Union	1	31.97	37	33.43	92.8
	2	26.41	33	28.03	94.2
	3	24.50	28	26.04	94.1
	4	26.97	31	28.65	94.1
East Millbury ...	1-2	22.56	28	23.94	96.3
	3-4	22.29	28	23.14	96.8
	5-6	23.44	28	24.20	96.
West Millbury ...	1-2	16.87	13	17.57	96.
	4-4	22.19	23	23.	97.2
Dorothy Manor ..	1-2	39.28	45	42.17	93.1
	3-4	24.12	31	25.25	95.5
	5-6	24.92	29	26.23	95.
Totals		2265.	1054	941.	95.1

CHANGES IN TEACHERS

RESIGNATIONS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Place</i>
	<i>High School</i>
Mr. Edwin Higginbottom	Worcester Polytechnic Inst.
	<i>Elementary</i>
Miss Nellie Bowen	Worcester Schools
	<i>Supervisors</i>
Miss Florence McKeon	Worcester Schools
Miss Dorothy Grout	Married

APPOINTMENTS

	<i>High School</i>
Mr. Stephen Beaton	Graduated at Clark Univ.
	<i>Elementary</i>
Miss Adele Pickerstein	Graduated at Worcester Normal
Miss Elizabeth Zona	Graduated at Worcester Normal
	<i>Supervisors</i>
Miss Mary A. Sullivan	Posse School Physical Training
Miss Dorothy Grout	Sargent School
	<i>Transfers</i>
From West Millbury to Union Building	Miss Agnes Faron

PERFECT ATTENDANCE, 1926-1927

High—9-12

Leonard Fairbanks	Loretta Kunzinger
Philip Johnson	Bessie Harris
Victor Salo	Leah Stone
Harold Cross	Irene Burbank
Gardner Khoeler	Florence Burnap
Frank Whittemore	Sadie Russell
Josephine Koziara	Eva Sharron

Anna Ballard

Junior High—8

Mildred Brunell	Ida Davidson
Catherine Labreck	Dorothy Higginson
Arthur Lebel	Mary Lucaszek
Mary Heslinga	Marjorie Morash
Mary Brown	Anthony Army

Raymond Roach

Junior High—7

Helen Whitcomb	Malvern Trask
Jennie Ciuksza	Bertha Drudis
Raymond Gilbert	Dorothy Dunkerly

Burbank

Victor Hafbauer	James Murphy
Walter Taylor	Harold Jannery
Felix Paplowsky	Mary Hamilton
Clayton Blanchard	Elizabeth Fish

Dorothy Manor

John Moorey	Lawrence Lebel
Vitte Rudnikas	

East Millbury

Ruth Coleman	Norman Hillmenson
Francis Pressey	

West Millbury

Lottie Stockwell	Everett Fairbanks
Ray Greenwood	Harold Kilmer

Union

Arthur Crepeau	Mary Shivick
James Frazier	

Providence Street

Alice Burnap	Ethel Johnson
Mary Urbanavicus	Catherine Lucas
Clifford Taylor	Ruth Mannix
Dorothy Cunningham	Elvira Paletta
Harry Moore	Stanley McCrea
Florence Burns	Augusta Sullivan
Stanley Moore	

ATTENDANCE—DEC. 1, 1927

High	9-12	217	
Junior High	7-8	168	
		—	385
Dorothy Manor	1	26	
	2	23	
	3-4	27	
	5-6	33	
		—	109
Providence Street	1-2	35	
	3-4	30	
	5	42	
	6	37	
		—	144
Union	1	40	
	2	36	
	3	28	
	4	29	
		—	133
East Millbury	1-2	23	
	3-4	24	
	5-6	26	
		—	73
West Millbury	1-3	14	
	4-6	22	
		—	36
Burbank	1	24	
	2-3	29	
	3-4	34	
	5	28	
	6	29	
		—	144
Total			<hr/> 1024

